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## BIG RECEPTION FOR AERONAUTS

### Hawley and Post Will Be Given Welcome.

### THE AERO CLUB OF AMERICA GETS BUSY

### Balloonists Want To Save Their Big Gas Bag.

**Question of Salvaging America II Is Matter of Importance to Hawley and Post—Log of Balloon Tells Vivid Story of the Long Air Journey—Daring Americans Are on the Way to New York.**

New York, Oct. 27.—A reception warmer than any aeronaut ever had before is being planned, today, by the Aero Club of America for Alan R. Hawley and Augustus Post, winners of the international cup for balloons, when they return to this city. It has been decided that a goodly portion of the $12,000 which was to have been offered, today, as a reward for locating the air navigators should be spent in welcoming them home.

The news of the safety of the pair was received, last night, just as Secretary Charles Heitman was settling himself into his seat in a train bound for Canada to take charge of the search for the aeronauts. He promptly spread the good news, one of the first to be informed being William Hawley, brother of the pilot of the America II. There was a lively celebration for a few minutes and then the question arose whether the America had beaten Dusseldorf II Samuel F. Perkins, who, with Pilot Hans Gericke had manned the Dusseldorf, led the rush to the chart room, and after figuring for some time decided that not only did the America exceed the record of the German balloon, but that she had a margin of more than a hundred miles to her credit.

When Perkins figured it out that his own record was beaten, he said:

"Well, they are a blame plucky pair and anyway, I am glad the United States won."

William Hawley said, today, that the waiting for news during the last five days had almost unnerved him, but that the experience had been worth while, as it had served to show him how many friends he and his brother actually had.

Hawley and Post will be the "headliner" at the aviation banquet which the Aero club will give at the Plaza hotel, Monday night. The banquet will be for all taking part in the international meeting at Belmont park and for the participants in the international balloon race.

#### A Vivid Story.

Chicoutimi, Que., Oct. 27.—The question of salvaging their balloon, America II, seemed of more importance, today, to Alan R. Hawley and Augustus Post, than the fact that they had established a world's record for distance traveled through the air—1,355 miles—or that they had won the international trophy.

Before boarding their train for Quebec the two daring Americans commissioned a party of trappers to locate the America, and get it back to civilization if possible. They also had the four French Canadian woodsmen who aided them in the journey to St. Ambroise subscribe to affidavits setting forth the fact that they found them in Jack Matthias' hut. Then, with their records complete for presentation to the Aero club committee, including the log of the America which tells a vivid story of the long air journey, the two champions left for Quebec.

The entire population of Chicoutimi turned out to see them off and to acclaim them. The journey through what has been considered an almost impassable wilderness was admitted by all to have been a wonderful accomplishment, and the two Americans have been adopted into the woodmen's fraternity. Although they were uncomfortably near the end of their provisions, Hawley and Post said that had not worried them any as they had a good sense of direction, and were sure at all times that they would get back all right.

#### Hunters' Story.

Joseph Pednaud and Joseph Simard, two of the hunters who brought Hawley and Post out of the wilderness, left here, today, to see what can be done about recovering the America II. Before abandoning their air craft, the two aeronauts cached it in a declivity in the side of the mountain on which they landed and covered it with brush to preserve it from the elements.

Pednaud and Simard said before they started that they thought they would be able to bring the balloon, which has been deflated, to St. Ambroise in a canoe, but they did not think it possible to get the basket out of the wilderness.

Hawley and Post received a big batch of congratulatory telegrams, this morning, before boarding the train. They will reach Quebec about 6 o'clock tonight.

#### About All In.

Montreal, Que., Oct. 27.—Before their departure for Quebec from Chicoutimi today, Alan R. Hawley and Augustus Post gave an interview with a local paper over the telephone. Hawley, who was the spokesman, declared that they had broken the international record by more than 200 miles.

"The weather was bitter cold," he said, "and we knew nothing of the country about us. We were hampered by the goods we had to pack, for it was absolutely necessary to bring heavy blankets and clothing, as well as a supply of food. During the three days and three nights that we spent tramping through the trackless wilderness southward, we had frequently to wade through streams of ice cold water and so cold was it at times that our clothing was frozen to our bodies. When we came across some trappers on the fourth day we could have cried for joy. We were about all in."

#### Awarding Prizes.

St. Louis, Mo., Oct. 27.—The return to civilization of Alan R. Hawley and Augustus Post, after land-

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## WIFE AIDS HER HUSBAND'S FIGHT

### Mrs. Littleton Gets into New York Campaign.

### COLONEL'S CHOICE IN DANGER OF DEFEAT

### Through Efforts of His Opponent's Little Wife.

**Democratic Candidate's Better Half Goes About Empire State and Appeals to Women To Get Their Husbands To Vote for Mr. Littleton. Mrs. Littleton Passes Out Campaign Booklet in Districts.**

New York, Oct. 27.—That Colonel Theodore Roosevelt's own pet congressman W. W. Cocks, the Quaker who represents the First New York district, is in danger of defeat for reelection, is the claim made by the politicians today. If he should lose, it will be due to the efforts of one woman, Mrs. Martin W. Littleton, wife of the Democratic candidate. Mrs. Littleton is making a house to house canvass for her husband, and she says she is gathering many converts. Littleton himself has had little time to devote to his canvass as the Democratic state committee has pressed him into service for spellbinding through the state, but he has a very capable substitute in the person of his very pretty wife.

Mrs. Littleton's first contribution to the campaign was a booklet called "The Mountaineer," which she signed "Peggy OBrien, and passed out through the district. It told proudly of her husband's life from mountain boy to noted lawyer. In explaining her book, Mrs. Littleton said today:

#### Appeals for Votes.

"I did not write it particularly for circulation in this campaign. My idea was to encourage young men by showing how my husband was able to get on despite the fact that he started without either money or influential friends. But some of the people read it and asked for it, and I have had copies printed for everybody in the district.

"Every one has been very kind to me. I have gone about in my automobile and met nearly all the women in the district. I have gone right to them and said:

"Please ask your husband to vote for my husband, and they have been such dears about it. And I have gone into stores and asked the men to let me put pictures of Mr. Littleton in the windows and they have been most kind. And I have found how hard men have to work to earn money, and it has taught me to be more economical than I ever was before. It certainly costs too much to live nowadays."

## PUTS QUESTION UP TO HARMON

### Harding Talks of Tariff Matter at Dayton.

### HARDING STRIKES GRAFT QUIZ DELAY

### He Makes Seven Speeches During the Day.

**Thousands of Veterans Turn Out To Hear Harding When He Talks at Soldiers' Home—Candidate Again Takes Up the Appointment of DeWeese and Advises Hearers What To Ask Harmon.**

Dayton, O., Oct. 27.—Just before he left for Cleveland, last night, Warren G. Harding left a number of questions which he told the people here to put to Governor Harmon today.

Mr. Harding spoke last night in Memorial hall. Mr. Harmon will speak there tonight. Mr. Harding swept through Montgomery county, yesterday, leaving Dayton early in the morning and returning last evening. He expressed himself as being satisfied with the result of the day's campaigning. He had husbanded his voice so that he would be in shape to make his big speech in Cleveland tonight. The questions which he left here were in the nature of a legacy of his trip through Montgomery county.

"Tell Governor Harmon," said Mr. Harding here last night, "How you would reduce prices without impairing the ability of the people of this prosperous city to buy.

#### Free Trade Policy.

"Tell how your policy of free trade could be inaugurated without injuring the 1,000 manufacturing plants in Dayton. Tell how your tariff policy would reduce the number of men employed and how it would reduce the wages of those not thrown out of employment by it."

"Tell how you reconcile your present claim that you favor a public utilities bill with your failure to lift a finger in behalf of the utilities bill defeated in the last general assembly by Democratic votes and your own admission, after the session, that you had not ever read the bill?

"Tell why, if you favored the application of the Nichols law principle in the bill to all public service corporations you did not include that principle which you inspired and helped to draft and caused to be introduced.

#### After Finley Again.

"Tell whether, when you caused this bill to be introduced and its passage urged, you were representing the people of Ohio or the public service corporations.

"Tell where you found the precedent on which your appointee, W. L. Finley, based his action in drawing $50 a month from the state for his stenographer and giving her only $30 of it while he placed $20 in his own pocket each month.

"Tell where you found the precedent for your fellow candidate, David I. Creamer, making false vouchers for expenses to cover investigation of incendiary fires when, as a matter of fact, he incurred the expenses while attending political conventions.

"Tell why you caused the appointment to a place in the building and loan department of Hamilton G. Deweese, now under indictment by the Franklin county grand jury, when you were so well aware of his unfitness that you sent word to Commissioner Lemert to 'watch this mans expense accounts closely.

"Tell why, if you are the foe of graft in Ohio, you have not removed a single grafter from the state service in your twenty-one months' administration.

"Explain how, if you were not able to hire detectives to investigate the canals twenty-one months ago you are able to do it now.

"Tell why, if you favored a ten-mill tax levy you inspired and helped draft and caused to be introduced a bill providing for a fifteen-mill levy.

"Tell why you did not displace Engineer Perkins, of the board of public works, twenty-one months ago, if, you now claim, he was blocking your plans to an investigation of canal graft."

Mr. Harding made seven speeches in this county in the open air yesterday. In an automobile he visited these towns:

Centerville, Miamisburg, Germantown, Farmersville, New Lebanon and Brookville.

#### Visits Soldiers' Home.

Before he went to Brookville he cut back to the Soldiers' home on the outskirts of Dayton. On the trip Mr. Harding was accompanied by George R. Young, Republican candidate in this, the Third district, and by Judge O. B. Brown, of Dayton. Judge Brown was a candidate for the gubernatorial nomination in the Columbus convention. He introduced Mr. Harding at several of Mr. Harding's speaking places yesterday.

At Germantown, Mr. Harding took a position on one important national question, and Mr. Young pledged himself not to vote for Speaker Cannon for reelection, even in caucus. This is the tobacco-raising belt of Ohio. In spite of this, Mr. Harding defended that provision in the Payne-Aldrich tariff bill which puts tobacco from the Philippine islands on the free list.

"We snatched the Philippines from oppression," said Mr. Harding, "and we owe it to humanity and to God to give aid to the natives of the islands."

#### In the Open.

Mr. Harding was trailed through the county yesterday by Joseph Dowling, a representative of John R. McLean and a member of the McLean faction in Ohio Democratic politics. At Brookville an attempt was made to create a disturbance while Mr. Harding was speaking.

"Hurrah for Harmon," an auditor yelled.

"Well, once in a while I hear a man say that," Mr. Harding came back.

"I'm a Republican and I like to come out into the open and discuss the matters that enter into this campaign."

About 12,000 veterans of two wars, the civil and the Spanish-American, were at the meeting at the Soldiers' home. Blue-clad men crowded about the automobile from which Mr. Harding spoke. Mr. Harding greeted the veterans as the "makers and the saviors of the nation."

"You old soldiers didn't go to war for a salary or because you expected a pension," said the candidate.

"You couldn't have gone for a pension because you didn't know whether you would ever return to collect it.

#### Praises the Veterans.

"We have done more for the citizen-soldiery than any nation on earth, and I want to tell you that I am an advocate of liberal pensions.

"I am glad we had that little diversion with Spain. That was not

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## AVIATOR DROPS TO HIS DEATH

### Lieutenant Sagliette Killed at Centoselle.

### FOURTH FATALITY IN LAST WEEK

### Italian's Machine Suddenly Tips Violently.

**Thus Far There Have Been Thirty Deaths in Aeroplane Accidents Since Lieutenant Selfridge, the First Victim, Is Killed at Fort Myer, Virginia, in September, 1908, in Wright Machine.**

Rome, Oct. 27.—Another fatal aeroplane accident occurred, today, on the military grounds at Centoselle, when Lieutenant Sagliette's machine fell while he was planing to the ground, instantly killing the lieutenant. Those who saw the accident could give no cause for it. The machine was gliding beautifully to the earth, when it suddenly tipped violently. Sagliette made a desperate effort to right the aeroplane, but clutched at the levers in vain.

Sagliette's death makes the fourth aeroplane fatality in the last week, the greatest number yet claimed in this length of time.

On last Sunday Captain Madiot, a French military aviator, was killed in a practice flight in the aerodrome at Douai. On Tuesday Lieutenant Menthe fell in a Wright biplane while planing to the earth at Madgeburg, Germany. Yesterday, Fernand Blanchard fell 150 feet in attempting to alight at Issy, after a flight from Bourges, and was instantly killed.

Thus far there have been in all thirty deaths in aeroplane accidents since Lieutenant Thomas E. Selfridge, the first victim of this sport, was killed at Fort Myer, Virginia, September 17, 1908, in a Wright machine.

## SITUATION IN EMPIRE STATE

### Predictions of Republicans and Democrats.

### TAMMANY ON RUN SAYS ROOSEVELT

### Stimson and Dix Campaign Warms Up.

**Democrats Are Making Big Play on the High Cost of Living and Press Moving Picture Houses into Service—Republicans Are Making Fight Against Wall Street and Tammany—Stimson on Stump.**

New York, Oct. 26.—"I believe we have Tammany and Wall street on the run and that Harry Stimson's election is now certain. But if we lose this time we will keep on fighting against this unholy alliance of dishonest business and dirty politics."—Colonel Theodore Roosevelt.

"John A. Dix will be elected without a question and the Democrats will probably control the legislature, thus ensuring a Democratic United States senator in succession to Chauncey M. Depew. There will also be substantial gains in the state's congressional representation."—Winfield A. Huppuch, chairman of the Democratic state committee.

"I have no figures to give out, but am certain New York state will remain Republican."—Ezra P. Prentice, chairman of the Republican state committee.

With election only twelve days away, and the fight at its bitterest, the men responsible for the campaign of both parties in the Empire state, today, emphasized their belief that their party will win the verdict of the people. Despite the confident claims, however, unprejudiced observers admit that the next week will tell the story.

The swing toward either John A. Dix, the Democratic candidate, or Henry L. Stimson, the Republican choice, has not yet started. The so-called "silent vote," which has been growing more and more conspicuous during the last few years, is the problem and the confidential reports received by both sides show that canvasses so far have been useless.

#### Roosevelt's Tour.

The stumping tour of Colonel Roosevelt has not been the unqualified success anticipated. While he has had enthusiastic receptions for the most part, he has also encountered frosts, and the latter have come in places where he has expected the warmest receptions. He continues to use as his chief arguments against Dix the allegation that Tammany forced his nomination in "Room 212" and that the Democratic candidate was a member of the wall-paper trust. The Democrats claim, however, to have attacked both arguments by showing that Mayor Gaynor of New York dictated the nomination of Dix and by Dix's own explanation that his company, the Standard Wall Paper company, has always been an independent concern. The issue has now resolved itself into one of veracity between Colonel Roosevelt and the Democratic candidate.

Dix had planned to take the stump, next week, in a few of the larger cities, but the very serious illness of his sister-in-law, Mrs. Curtiss N. Douglas has disarranged his plans. He will remain at his home in Thomson until the campaign ends, making possibly only one more public appearance, in New York, after the Roosevelt tour of that city next week.

#### Dix Still Favorite.

Candidate Stimson will campaign up until the night before election. His meetings have been more enthusiastic during the last few days and his managers profess to be much encouraged.

Next week the heavy artillery of both sides will be brought into play when cabinet officers will stump the state for the Republicans and Champ Clark and one or two Democratic United States senators will outline the issues for the Democrats.

The Democrats are making their big play on the high cost of living and have pressed into service moving picture houses where are displayed a dozen times a day pictures comparing the prices for food and clothing today, and ten years ago. Between the pictures of the commodities are displayed epigrams of which the following ars samples:

"Mr. Roosevelt preaches against race suicide and yet the tariff law he advocates keeps the market basket empty."

In the betting Dix is still a two to one favorite with a number of even money bets being made by Republicans that he will not have 100,000 plurality in the state. The betting, however, has been very light and admittedly does not reflect the opinion of the experienced politicians who say that it will be impossible to get a line on the real situation until the middle of next week.

#### Colonel Angered.

Johnstown, N. Y., Oct. 27.—Accompanied by former Congressman Lucius Littauer, Colonel Theodore Roosevelt toured Johnstown, Gloversville, Fonda and other cities in the Mohawk valley today. This was the colonel's fifty-second birthday, but he said that he had no time for a celebration now, being too busy with his speech-making. Roosevelt was angered with Judge Parker's contemptuous reference to his Tammany and Wall street circular and showed it in his speech.

"Judge Parker refers to this circular which shows that there is an alliance between Tammany hall and and Wall street as alleged," said Roosevelt, "but lots of people have seen it. I will tell him now where I got it. It was sent through the mail to Walter Woods, a man you all know."

"Yes, and I got one through the mail myself," chimed in Littauer, and the crowd laughed at the joke of a Tammany circular for funds to fight Roosevelt going to the millionaire glove manufacturer who has been one of the colonels closest political friends since 1898.

#### Census Figures.

Washington, Oct. 27.—The census bureau, today, announced the following results of the 1910 enumeration: Oberlin, Ohio, 4,365, increase 283; Wellston, Ohio, 6,875, decrease, 1,170.

## RUPTURE IN THE ROYAL FAMILY

### Of England Is Topic of Gossip in London.

### THE QUEEN MOTHER GOES TO DENMARK

### She May Make Her Future Home There.

**Alexander Believes Her Son, King George, Treats Her Unfairly, but in This It Is Pointed Out That She Is Wrong—Climax Comes in Fight for Buckingham Palace—Queen Mother's Plans.**

London, Oct. 27.—The rupture in the royal family of England is the chief topic of gossip in London today. Now that Queen Mother Alexandra has finally gone to Denmark, it is firmly believed she will make her home there, making only occasional visits to England.

There is no question that Alexandra believes she has been badly treated by her son, King George, and his wife. She is wrong, but this does not alter her feelings. After being the first lady of England for so long, she could not understand why she should give way to Queen Mary when King Edward died.

The climax came in her fight to retain Buckingham palace, the royal London residence, for herself. When she finally went to Sandringham, on her physician's representation that she needed a few weeks in the country, it is certain she expected to return to Buckingham. As soon as she was gone, however, George had all her personal servants and her belongings transferred to Marlborough house, while he moved his things into Buckingham.

Alexandra realized that to reestablish herself in Buckingham meant a scene, which even she recognized as impossible. She did, however, visit her son at Balmoral, and it is said that the scolding she gave him broke all records in royal establishments. Then she sailed for Denmark in lonely grandeur.

Just what her plans for the future, probably only she and her sister, the dowager czarina, definitely know.

#### New Enumeration.

Washington, Oct. 27.—Following a second conference with a committee of citizens from Tacoma, Washington, Director Durand announced, today, that a complete new census enumeration will be taken at Tacoma, as the result of the mix-up which followed the discovery of padding frauds.

## MARKER MUST FACE CHARGE

### Of Bribery Made by Board of Public Works.

### CHIEF ENGINEER GETS IN WRONG

### Denman Asked To Order Jury Investigation.

**Board Claims Marker, Through His Detectives, Uses Fake Contract, Signed by Fictitious Names, for Purpose of Enticing W. Bruce Watkins To Neglect His Duties. Board Appeals to Denman.**

Columbus, O., Oct. 27.—Charging James R. Marker, chief engineer of public works, with having enticed and bribed, through his private detectives, W. Bruce Watkins, brother of George H. Watkins, member of the state board of public works, the latter board today called upon Attorney General Denman for a grand jury investigation.

W. Bruce Watkins was carpenter foreman on the Miami and Erie canal, stationed at Middletown.

Marker gave out to the newspapers several days ago what purported to be a contract signed by W. Bruce Watkins and George Whitman, ostensibly representing the New York & Brooklyn Feather company, in which Watkins accepted money and agreed to take charge of the construction of a plant for the company at Middletown, at the same time accepting pay from the state as carpenter foreman.

In its statement to Attorney General Denman, today, the board of public works says:

"There never was such a company as the New York & Brooklyn Feather company.

"This was a fake contract signed by fictitious names as officers of the same, for the same purpose of enticing one of our employes by offering him a bribe to neglect his official duties.

#### Picking Out Victim.

"The name, George Whitman, is another fictitious name.

"The man who represented himself to Watkins as George Whitman is in all probability a detective by the name of William Lester, of Columbus, who was employed by James R. Marker.

"This detective, thus working under Marker, was paid for this exact work out of the governor's contingent fund."

Continuing, the statement to Denman said that it looked to the members of the board as if Marker and his detectives were trying to manufacture, not feathers, but a case to sustain his charges against the canal department, and, furthermore, that he had picked out W. Bruce Watkins as his victim, because he knew he was a brother of George H. Watkins, member of the board and candidate for reelection. Concluding, the board asks the attorney general to investigate and lay the facts before the Butler county grand jury.

Harry Bradbury, who is in charge of the detectives who are working for Governor Harmon and Marker, said, today, that it was not a detective, but a private citizen, who had trapped Watkins into signing the contract with the feather company.

George H. Watkins said his brother would explain later why he had signed the contract.

#### Marker's Answer.

Columbus, O., Oct. 27.—Late today, Chief Engineer James R. Marker sent Attorney General Denman a reply to the statement issued by the board of public works charging bribery of a canal employe through his private detectives.

Marker's statement says he had sufficient information to excite suspicion that W. B. Watkins was not giving his full time to the state. Marker says he had Watkins watched for three days in August, on any one of which he did not work for the state, but rendered a statement for the full time. Marker adds that from evidence furnished him he knows that Watkins accepted five dollars from an outside party for services rendered and gave his receipt for it while he was employed by the state, and obliged to give his full time in its services. Marker discharged Watkins, who was drawing $100 a month and expenses as a carpenter foreman, on October 1.

Marker adds that he courts a grand jury investigation on this particular instance and offers to go further in furnishing any grand jury with evidence on all his charges of graft.

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# RICHWOOD NOTES OF THE PAST FEW DAYS

## The Thompson Home Scene of a Church Dinner.

## THE AFFAIR PROVES FINANCIAL SUCCESS

**Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Roberts Attend a Wedding in Cleveland—Ladies of the Richwood Presbyterian Church Enjoy a Chicken Dinner. Other Items of Some Interest.**

Richwood, Oct. 27—[Special]—The ladies of the Advent Christian church of Craiborne held a dinner, Wednesday, at the home of Mrs. John Thompson west of Richwood. There was a large attendance and the affair proved a financial success.

Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Roberts left Tuesday for Cleveland, where they will attend the wedding of Mrs. Roberts' sister and will visit Mr. Roberts' daughter, Mrs. F. C. Hottell, who formerly resided in Richwood. Mr. and Mrs. Hottell are preparing to move to Washington, hoping that the change of climate will be beneficial to Mr. Hottell's health.

Miss Catharine Geigley, of London, is spending the week with her brother, O. A. Keigley, and wife.

The ladies of the Presbyterian church gave a chicken dinner, Wednesday, at the homes of Mrs. C. E. King and Mrs. Anna Fulton. A large number of people was served at either place and a nice sum was netted for the church treasury.

J. A. Shipley, cashier of the Richwood Banking company, J. F. Woods, cashier of the Farmers' Deposit bank, L. J. McCoy, cashier of the First National bank, and C. D. Sidle were in Delaware, Wednesday, in attendance at a meeting of Group Five Bankers of the State of Ohio.

Miss Herma Tannyhill has accepted a position as saleslady in the Factory store.

Miss Ethel Cheney, who is employed as trimmer in a millinery store in Marysville, spent Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Kittie C. Cheney.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Elliott moved to Richwood, last week, from Marion. Mr. Elliott is employed as electrician in a local motion picture show.

A son was born, Saturday, to Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Woods, south of Richwood.

Miss Eva Hall, of Sidney, has been the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Hall, since Sunday.

Miss Olive Linkey, of Columbus, has been visiting her mother, Mrs. S. E. Linkey, during the past few days.

William Slemmons and L. O. Slemmons of Richwood, and John L. Slemmons, of Marion, were called to Toledo, Sunday, by the death of their sister, Mrs. John Barnett, whose death occurred Saturday evening at o'clock. Mrs. Barnett was born in Richwood and almost all of her life was spent here. The family moved to Toledo last spring. During the past five years the deceased had been an invalid, suffering of paralysis and a complication of diseases. She was the mother of eleven children, eight of whom, with her husband, survive. Funeral services were held in Toledo, Tuesday, followed by interment in that city.

Miss Mary Withrow, a trained nurse of Columbus, was called here a few days ago to take care of J. M. Sanders, who is seriously ill at his home on east Blagrove street.

Dr. J. W. Gray, president of the college at Adrian, Michigan, who is to preach the sermon on the occasion of the dedication of the Methodist Protestant church, is unable to be here Sunday, as arranged, consequently the dedication services will not be held until Sunday, November 6. The church is almost completed and presents a very handsome appearance.

Mr and Mrs. Arthur Thompson, of Marion, were the guests, Sunday, of Mr and Mrs. J. W. Kyle and other relatives here.

James A. Harrison died Saturday evening at 8 o'clock at his home on South Franklin street. He had been ill for some time, suffering of cancer and a complication of diseases. He was a highly respected colored man and most of his life was spent in Richwood. He was born in Virginia, fifty-three years ago. The deceased is survived by a widow and eight children—seven sons and one daughter. Funeral services were held from the African Baptist church, Monday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock, Rev. H. C. Clay, of Delaware, officiating. Interment followed at Claiborne cemetery.

Robert Graham has returned home from Ft. Dodge, Iowa, to which city he was called, last week, by the death of his uncle, the late Senator J. P. Dolliver.

Miss Irene Baker, who recently accepted a position as stenographer in Columbus, was one of the guests of honor, Friday evening, at a delightful social affair given by the Young Women's Christian association of that city. Each month the organization gives a birthday party, the guests of honor being the young women whose birthday anniversaries occur some time during that particular month. The affair of Friday evening was given on Miss Baker's birthday and was attended by more than two hundred persons, most of whom are residents in the buildings.

Drs. T. F. and F. M. Wurtsbaugh performed a difficult operation on B. F. Sloop, Sunday, which proved quite successful. Mr. Sloop has been seriously ill during the past four weeks, suffering of a complication of diseases.

Mrs. B. S. Rust, of Ashtabula, is visiting her mother, Mrs. Minerva Linder.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Street, of London, were the guests, Sunday, of Dr. L. L. Street and family.

Miss Gwenn Marriott and Miss Elinor Pauline Gill accompanied their teacher, Miss Ina McKitrick, to her home in Marysville, Friday, and visited in that city until Sunday.

Mrs. Verna Campbell and son, Ross, and Miss Irma Bates were the guests of the latter's parents at North Lewisburg Sunday.

The members of the African Baptist church are planning to hold a big Sunday-school rally in their church in the near future.

Misses Ethel and Leila Kinney were visitors in Marion Saturday.

The Ladies' Aid society of Bethlehem M. P. church gave a dinner, Wednesday, at the home of Mrs. Freeman Cushman, south of Richwood, which was well attended and very enjoyable.

Harry Carroll and Elmo Ledley motored to Mechanicsburg, Wednesday, where the former represented Richwood Camp of the Improved Order of Red Men at a grand rally held in that city. The rally was held by the various orders of the Seventh district, which includes the following towns: Delaware, Hyattsville, Irwin, Unionville, Milford Center, Byhalia, Marysville, Jerome, Richwood and Mechanicsburg.

# JAMES GRAHAM DIES WEDNESDAY MORNING

## Mr. Graham Reaches the Age of Ninety Years.

## LIVES MANY YEARS IN MARION COUNTY

**Death Is the Result of an Illness, of About One Year of Bright's Disease—M. Graham Is Quite Well Known in the City and County. Funeral Services.**

James Graham, one of the best known men in this county, died Wednesday at 1:30 a. m., at the advanced age of ninety years, five months and twenty-five days. His death was caused by Bright's disease and complications of which he had been a sufferer for the past year. Death came at the home of his niece Mrs. Ellen Mack, three miles southeast of Marion on the Richland pike.

Mr. Graham was born in Ireland and came to this country with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Graham, when but a young man. For fifty-four years he had resided in the vicinity in which he died. He never married and always lived at home until after the death of his parents when he went to live with his brother. He is survived by a number of relatives.

The deceased was quite wealthy and for many years had lived a retired life. In politics he was a Democrat, but was never engaged in any active political work. He was very well known throughout Marion and Marion county, especialy among the older residents, and was always held in high regard.

The funeral was held from the late residence, Friday morning at 10 o'clock, Rev. John Hobson, officiating. The remains were interred in the Marion cemetery.

## RAILROAD.

**Notes Gathered in Railway Yards.**

Seven box cars were derailed and badly damaged in a freight wreck on the Hocking Valley at Alvada Tuesday afternoon. A northbound freight was moving at a fair rate of speed when the wreck occurred. The railroad men do not know definitely just what was the cause of the trouble. The tracks were considerably torn up and traffic was badly tied up. It was necessary to summon the wrecking crew from Columbus which went to the scene of the wreck immediately.

There is a good deal of embroidery done in soutache.

New Corn Meal
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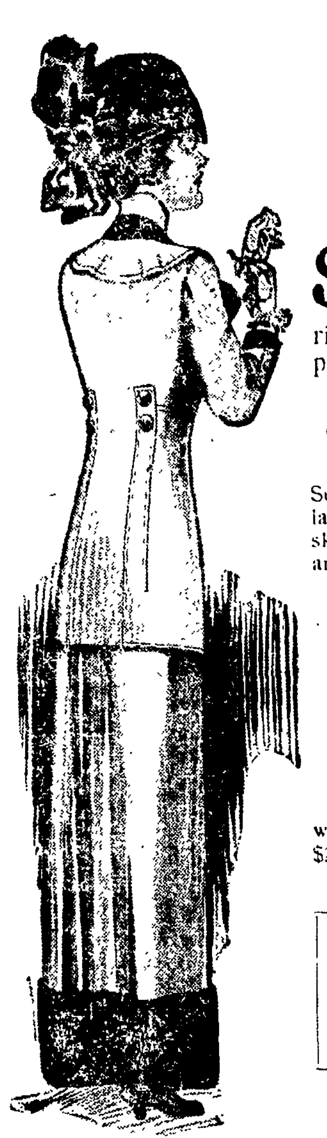

THIS STORE through which the greatest streams of new Merchandise flow constantly in and out! UHLER-PHILLIPS'—the store with the greatest stocks and biggest business—offers for tomorrow, Saturday and Monday many

IRRESISTIBLE "MONTH END" SPECIALS.
In this space we can tell you of only a few of the great number of interesting October goings-on in this busy throbbing store.

Women's Suits, Dresses, Coats
Our Big Stocks are Fullest NOW.
(Month-end Specials which will crowd our 2nd floor)

$25 — Our immense lines of $25 Suits and Coats—offer a rare selection of handsome, exclusive styles in distinctive tailored garments. Included are the finest new WOOLTEX styles in rich all-wool materials. The assortment includes all fashionable cloths and patterns. $25.

$16 50 Serge Dresses at $12.50 — Stylish wool Storm Serge dresses—pretty lace yokes—full plaited skirts—navy and cadet blue, red, brown and black. $12.50 instead of $16.50.

$15 & $16.50 long Coats $12.50 — Full length man-tailored coats — distinctive style sin splendid quality blue serves, blue kerseys, diagonals, basket weaves and coverts. Great values.

Warm, serviceable, stylish long coats—beautiful semi-loose, mannish styles in practical Scotch diagonals and mixtures, in new pebble cheviots and popular serges. The price is a special one— $15.00

Our Special Suits $15 — Mantailored Suits in serges, worsteds and cheviots—worth $20—our special price is $15.

Stylish Tailored Suits $20 — Beautiful plain tailored Suits with 34-inch satin lined coats—and new skirts. Unusual values.

Warm Underwear
Money Saving Prices

Special Vests for Women at 25c—long sleeved "Essex Mills" heavy cotton—and extra weight (7-pound) fleeced vests in all sizes —at only 25c

50c — Women's extra quality Union Suits at 50c, instead of 75c. Cut extra full and wide—jersey ribbed, fleece lined —high neck, long sleeves, ankle—our low price 50c.

Women's "Munsing" fleece lined vests and pants at 50c. Children's "M" Waist Union Suits at 50c—a splendid new garment combining shirt, drawers and the celebrated "M" waist—fleece lined 50c.

39c — Men's 50c heavy fleeced underwear at 39c a garment—a newly opened case of Men's heavy ribbed shirts and drawers—at an exceptional saving — 39c worth 50c.

$20 LONG CARACUL COATS $12.50—handsome luxurious 54-inch coats of warm caracul, closely resembling Pony skin—guaranteed linings and beautiful jeweled buttons. Shown in a Center street window $12.50

WOMEN'S $15 STRIPED CARACUL COATS $9.98—the same beautiful full-length coat in Junior sizes (15 to 17 years) at $8.98. Lined with guaranteed material and finished with large jeweled buttons $9.98

Ready for 3 big days in our always
Busy Dress Goods and Silk Section

The Store That Sells WOOLTEX Suits and Coats

This great and busy Dress Goods Store of ours—which is so well known throughout all the surrounding counties—many of whose customers come to it from as far as forty miles away—has never enjoyed the rush and popularity—has never done the enormous business which has come to it so far this season.

DRESS GOODS AT $1.00—our magnificent assemblage of beautiful new fabrics at this price includes Broadcloths, Serges, Satin cloths, Cheviots, Poplins, Epingelines, Scotch Suitings, Diagonals, etc., etc., $1.00

SPLENDID SILKS AT $1.00—a Silk exhibit of rare charm—includes rich and gorgeous Persians changeable plaids and Persians, sterling, yard-wide black silks, yard-wide colored messalines, at $1.00

Our Special 50c and 75c Storm Serges—our 75c serge is sponged and shrunken; all wool; 42 inches wide and is worth $1. Our 50c storm serge is regularly a splendid 65c cloth 50c

$1.50 Wool Crepe du Chine $1 yd.—A new soft and crinkling weave which drapes beautifully into the season's handsome gowns—street and evening shades $1.00

Black and white Shepherd Checks—excellent Shepherd checked materials of varying weights and qualities—small, medium and large checks—at from $1.50 and $1, down to 50c

Fine New Gloves
Exceptional Values

1 kid gloves at 69c pair—overseam sewn—tan, brown, mode and black—all sizes—extra special at 69c

Our Special $1 "Countess Louise" kid gloves come in black, white and colors.
"Phoenix" 3-clasp suede gloves—gray, mode and black, $1.50 pair.

1.50 silk lined Mocha gloves at $1—1 clasp—grey, reindeer and black. An unequalled value. $1

Thanksgiving and Christmas Linens
Our busy "Linen Store" is now ready with full new stocks of the beautiful and dependable "just opened" lines of snowy Thanksgiving and Christmas Table Linens and Towels.

(Special Snow-white All-linen Damasks.)
59c worth 75c a yard. Beautiful new Scotch sun-bleached table linens (every thread pure linen). 64 inches wide. Artistic patterns, wide open borders. A great value at 59c.
85c worth $1 a yard. $1.00 pure linen Scotch Damask—full 2 yards wide, 85c.

We've a wonderful new all-linen Damask at 50c.
A heavy, sturdy, long wearing, all linen German Damask—fine patterns—64 inches wide—at only 50c yard.
Just opened our new matched table cloths and napkins. $1 to $5 yd. Napkins $3 to $12.

Christmas Towels
At from 25c, 35c to $1.50—fine embroidered scalloped huck towels.
50c, 75c to $1.50—beautiful Damask bordered, hemstitched huck towels with wreaths for embroidernig within.
50c all linen grass bleached lunch towels 35c, (3 for $1).

$2 UNION TAFFETA UMBRELLAS AT 98c—heavy tape edges—26 and 28-inch steel frames—a very big selection of Mission and fancy handles. 98c.

$1.89 HUMAN HAIR CLUSTER PUFFS $1.00—one of the best values in Hair Goods yet offered. Big sanitary clusters—different shades of brown. $1.

9x12 Axminster Rugs worth $25 at $17.95
Extra heavy long wearing room-size (9 by 12 feet) Axminster Rugs in rich Oriental, all-over and floral patterns. $25 values at $17.95.
9x12 Axminister rugs—splendid—$22.50 values—wonderful bargains, at $11.50.

Another lot of those all-wool Sweaters
Women's splendid fitting, fancy weave, all wool Sweaters—a smart and popular new model in cardinal and white. Our special price $2.50
Other special lines of fashionable pure wool Sweaters, in white and colors at $3 and $3.98.

Extra Special "Month-end" Bargain Items: 3 days only

49c a pair for good quality gray and cotton blankets—with pretty blue and pink borders. Hurry for the quality is limited.

Mercerized Petticoats 79c. Several dozens imitation heatherbloom and sateen black petticoats—with deep flaring flounces 79c

15c Bates Ginghams 9c. A newly opened case of Bates 15c seersucker ginghams in perfect mill lengths. Yard 9c

6c a yard instead of 10c for warm fleeced-back Flannelettes in staple patterns, suitable for house dresses and cozy sacques.

Russian Crash 7c yd. A limited quantity of bleached all-linen crash. Our special price for these 3 days is 7c

8c a yard buys 10c colored outing flannels in perfect "mill lengths." 7c buys mill lengths of 9c outings.

19c —3 pairs for 50c—splendid seconds of women's finest quality 25c black ribbed stockings. About 1,000 pairs of them.

$3 "Woolnap" Blankets $2.29. Extra fine, exactly like wool Blankets—large 12-4 size—tan, grey or white—$2.29 instead of $3 pair.

4c a yard for standard apron ginghams, in staple checks—fast colors. Worth 7c.

The Uhler-Phillips Co.
MAIL ORDERS PROMPTLY FILLED

11c —our special 3-day price on carefully mended seconds children's 19c black ribbed hose.

## A DELIGHTFUL AFFAIR AT CURTIS RESIDENCE

### A Company of Women Very Nicely Entertained.

### THE PROSPECT LECTURE COURSE TO BE OPENED

**An Orchestra Will Give Opening Number Saturday Evening—Some Excellent Numbers To Be Given During the Winter—Jacob Kline Returns to His Home at Prospect.**

Prospect, Oct. 27.—[Special.]—A very successful social affair was given by Mr. and Mrs E P. Curtis at their beautiful country home, three miles south of Prospect, last week, from Wednesday to Friday The guests caught the spirit of the occasion, arriving over the C., D. & M. with trunks, boxes, bird-cages, etc. They were soon made exceedingly welcome at the Curtis homestead. The comedy enacted during the two days' stay of the guests will ever be held in pleasant memory. The company included Mrs. H. D. Beavers, Mrs. W. W. Kyle, Mrs. R. H. Finefrock, Mrs. Clarence Griffith, Mrs E E. Wottring, Miss Clara Wottring, Mrs. D. T. Hord, Mrs. W. W. Ocker, Mrs. David Jones, Mrs. Harry Thomas, Mrs. O. H Neimeyer, Mrs. J. W Petty, Mrs. C. E. Herr, Mrs F. H. Lauer, Mrs. Albert Johnson and Mrs B. D. Osborn, of Waldo

The Prospect basket-ball team, composed of George Wolfley, Delmar Boxwell, Sidney Gast, Harry Lauer and Morrison Gast, with a number of friends, went to Ashley, Friday afternoon, and defeated the Ashley team by a score of twenty to twenty-four.

The season of the Prospect lecture course will open, Saturday evening, with Ramo's Spanish orchestra. This number will be followed by the lecturer, Lee Francis Lybarger, December 5, "The Music Makers," January 10; the impersonator, Montaville Flowers, February 8; and a lecture by Edward Amherst Ott, March 1.

R. D. Mohr, of Ashley, was the guest of his father, A D. Mohr, Friday.

Mrs. John Hughes visited relatives in Marion Monday.

R. M. Horn, of Sandusky, spent Sunday with his family here.

D. S. Grube, of Delaware, was a Prospect visitor Wednesday.

Miss Clara Cope was the guest of her aunt, Mrs. A. Coleman, at Ashley, last week.

Mrs Mollie Miller, of Richwood, visited at the home of F. B. Miller, several days last week.

Miss Hazel Osborn was hostess to the Inter Nos club at her home on Water street, Thursday evening.

Mrs. Thomas Beavers, of Perrysville, is visiting at the home of her son, H. D. Beavers.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Handchy, of near Warren, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Gast last week. Mr. and Mrs. Handchy were former residents of Prospect.

Mr. and Mrs. John Rouse and children, Mildred and Leven, spent Sunday with her sister, Mrs. H. H. Dennis in Toledo.

Mrs. R. T. Pace and little daughter, Evalyn of Cleveland are visiting Mrs. George Johnson and other relatives.

Mrs. B. F. Fox was hostess to the Mothers' council at her home on Water street Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. E. G. Stockman was the guest of relatives in Delaware Monday.

Mrs. Herbert Whysall and little daughter, of Marion, were guests over Sunday at the home of Mrs Elizabeth Griffith.

Mrs. D. E. Black, of Richwood, was the guest of friends here several days last week.

Mrs. Clara Merrill and Mrs. C. Runyan, of Marion, were entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Cummings Friday.

Mrs. D. P. Hord entertained her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Fritile, of Marion, Sunday.

Albert Johnson spent Sunday with his brother, L. W. Johnson, in Columbus.

Mrs. Catharine Cope spent Sunday and Monday with relatives near Stratford.

Mrs. J. M Gast, Mrs. P M. Gast, Mrs. Catharine Gast, Mrs. Millie Wyatt, Mrs. G. H. Masters and Mrs L. H. Hurrelbrink were entertained at the home of Mrs. William Slemmons, at Richwood, Thursday.

Mrs. Ellen Finefrock returned to her home in Fremont, Tuesday, after a fortnight's visit with relatives.

Mr and Mrs. T E. Shinn and daughter, Jane, of Ashland, were entertained several days this week at the home of E M. Stockwell.

Mrs. L. H. Hurrelbrink, Mrs. J. M. Gast, Misses Maggie and Abbie Stiffler attended the sessions of the English district synod of the Lutheran church in Columbus Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Milo Main, Mr. and Mrs Frank Behrns were at Ashley, Thursday, inspecting the Mausoleum recently built at that place.

Harrold Roman, of Delaware, was a guest at the home of J. N Freeman Friday.

Jacob Kline who was injured recently in the Erie wreck near Lima, was able to return to Prospect with his family Monday. He was liberally rewarded by the company.

## THE CHARD RESIDENCE SCENE OF GATHERING

### Company of Rebekahs Enjoys an Evening.

### PROFITABLE MEETING OF CHURCH SOCIETY

**Ladies' Aid Society of the M. E. Church at Green Camp Holds a Meeting—C. Parish, Is the Victim of a Runaway Accident—Sunday School Class Affair Tuesday.**

Green Camp, Oct. 27.—[Special.]—Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Chard charmingly entertained a crowd of Rebekahs at their country home west of town at an oyster supper Tuesday evening In the company were Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Hoyt, Mr. and Mrs. William Savidge, Mr and Mrs. William Mustein, Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Porter, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Walker, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ritzler and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Johnston, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Boxwell, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Almendinger, Mr. and Mrs. William Gorenflo, Misses Mary Fish, Ruth Porter, Hester and Georgia Boxwell, Oza Almendinger and Margaret Porter. The hours were swiftly passed in music and social chat.

Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Hopkins were entertained, Sunday, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Wolfley at Prospect.

Mr. and Mrs. N. F. Welch and daughter, Ester, spent Saturday and Sunday with Galion friends.

The Ladies' Aid society of the M. E. church held a very profitable meeting at the rooms, Thursday afternoon, the attendance was quite large and much business was done.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Morris, of La Rue, and Mr. and Mrs. Avery Gibson, of Upper Sandusky, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Morris, Sunday.

C. Parish, who gathers cream for the Essex creamery, met with a painful injury Thursday. While passing the Zeig school-house west of town, the horse became frightened at a little house the children had built near the road, and ran away, demolishing his wagon and spilling the cream. Mr. Parish's hand was badly lacerated. Dr. C. A. Finefrock was called to dress the wounded member.

Mrs. J. F. Wottring spent Thursday with Richwood friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Canouse, of Prospect, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Kirts Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Kirts, of Newman's, were entertained at dinner Sunday at the William Savidge home.

Mrs. Lester Carey and daughter, of Agosta, are visiting friends near here.

A. J. Low spent a few days of last week with relatives in Indiana.

The Missionary society of the F. B. church was royally entertained by Mrs. Charles Dryer at her home north of town Thursday. About thirty enjoyed the elegant dinner prepared by the hostess. The hours were passed in needlework and social chat.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Bricker were host and hostess to the Young Married People's class of the M. E. Sunday-school at their beautiful home near here Tuesday night. The attendance was quite large and a happy evening was passed. Nice refreshments were served.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Porter and daughter, Helen, and Charles Basler were Columbus visitors Sunday.

Wolford Johnston left, Thursday morning, for Jacksonville, Florida, where he will spend the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Uncapher spent Wednesday with friends at Broadway.

Mrs. Minnie Myers very pleasantly entertained Mrs W. J. Myers and Mrs. Dale Deal, of La Rue, at her home Wednesday.

Mrs. Joseph Folk, of Marion, was a visitor here Thursday.

Mrs. M. L. Moore, of Marion, spent Sunday with relatives at this place

Mrs. A. E. Schaffer spent last week with friends at East Liberty.

N. F. Welch spent Monday and Tuesday with his friends at Peoria.

Mrs. Philip Barnhardt, of Columbus, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. William Savidge.

Mr. and Mrs. James Littrell and daughter, Charlotte, are spending a few days with Mr. Littrell's parents at Fostoria.

Frank White, of Hornell, New York, visited Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Leach last week.

Mr and Mrs Charles Gilbert pleasantly entertained Mr. and Mrs. William Hale and Mr. and Mrs J. W. Moehn and son, Homer, at dinner Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Ritzler and Mr. and Mrs. C. C Brady were Kenton visitors Wednesday.

The Young People's class of the M. E. Sunday-school will give a mush-and-milk social at the town hall Saturday night.

Mrs. Harry Watts and Mrs. Carl McNeal and children were guests of Mrs T. J. McNeal, east of town, Sunday.

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A brass-headed tack driven into each of the lower corners of picture frames prevent pictures from leaving marks on the wall.

## THE MORRAL LECTURE COURSE IS ARRANGED

### The Numbers Secured for Coming Season.

### REVIVAL MEETINGS AT BAPTIST CHURCH

**Three Persons Receive the Rites of Baptism—Mrs. C. D. Hudson Entertains a Company of Her Friends at Her Home at Morral—News Notes Gathered in Village.**

Morral, Oct. 27.—[Special.]—The dates for the Morral lecture course have all been fixed, as follows. Edward Amherst Ott, November 5; Edward Elliott, December 12; Chicago Glee club, February 18; Hon. George W. Thompson, March 8; Monroe Markley, April 3 Seats for the course will be reserved at the postoffice, November 3, at 8:30 a m. Holders of tickets will bring them so that the section can be marked on them

The revival meetings at the Baptist church are still in progress, with a growing interest. Rev. Mr. Bagwill administered the rites of baptism to three persons, Sunday evening The services were very impressive Next Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, Rev. Mr. Bagwill will deliver a lecture to men only. No boys under fourteen will be admitted. The meetings are announced for all this week, and, Sunday evening, a number of persons will be baptized.

Mrs Arlis Rhoads, of Harpster, was a guest at the home of Mr and Mrs. James Parker, Thursday and Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Williams were guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. J Schultz, Sunday.

Mrs. James Parker is the guest of Mrs. O. S. Lewis, in Toledo.

Mr. and Mrs. C. O Barnthouse, of Agosta, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Stouffer, Sunday.

Mrs. C. F. Cottrell and daughter, Miss Hazel, were guests, Sunday, at the home of George Williams, near Harpster.

Mr. and Mrs. S. M Stouffer and son, Dwight, were guests of Mr. and Mrs H. S. Ruhl, in Marion, Sunday.

The Morral baseball team crossed bats with a Marion team in Marion, Sunday, the game resulting in a score of three to two in favor of Morral.

Pearl Cottrell, of near Harpster, who recently returned from Sioux Falls, South Dakota, was a guest, Sunday evening, of Miss Hazel Cottrell.

Mrs. R O. Richards, of Agosta, and Mrs. T. A. Richards returned, Monday, from Flint, Michigan, where they attended the funeral of a little daughter of Mr and Mrs C A. Richards Little Miss Genevieve Richards accompanied them home Monday afternoon, Mrs. R. O. Richards and little granddaughter, Genevieve, returned to Agosta.

Mrs. J. P. Barnthouse, of Upper Sandusky, was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Stouffer, this week. Tuesday, Mrs. Stouffer and little son, Clifford, and Mrs. Barnthouse visited relatives near Caledonia.

Mrs. Leo Berry and Miss Carye Buckingham were visitors in Marion, Sunday afternoon.

Clare Smith, of north of Meeker, was a Morral visitor Tuesday.

Mrs. C J. Schultz, Mrs Silas Smith and daughter, Miss Fairy; Miss Adda Norton, Mrs. C. W. Ferguson and little daughter, Joan, and Mrs Earl Warner were visitors in Marion, Tuesday

Mr and Mrs Frank McIntire were guests of Mr. and Mrs. C W. Ferguson Sunday.

Fred Welsh, of near Wyandot, was a visitor at Morral, Tuesday

Mrs. Pearl Parker was a Marion visitor Friday.

C H. Postle transacted business in Toledo this week.

Mr. and Mrs H A. Martin and children, Hopewell and Lenole, were guests of relatives at Kirkpatrick, Sunday.

Mrs. M. Dix, of Prospect, visited the past two weeks with friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. O P. Shoots and daughters, Hazel and Marguerite, were Morral visitors Sunday evening.

Frank Browne, of Chinook, Montana, is a guest at the home of his father, E Browne

L. A. Larcomb, of Upper Sandusky, was a business visitor here this week.

Miss Zoa Barnthouse, who has been visiting Mrs. C. E. Stouffer, returned to her home at Upper Sandusky, Monday.

Mrs Mattie Warner and daughter, Edith, and Mrs. Susan Gaster, of Forest, spent several days this week with relatives here.

Mrs. W W. Miller is seriously sick at her home west of town

Miss Hazel Schultz went to Columbus, Tuesday evening, to visit Mrs A B. Sloop.

Messrs John and Elmer Bibler, of near Wyandot, were Morral visitors, Tuesday evening.

Mrs Grace Hedges and little daughter Henrietta, of Prospect, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Drake

F Hartsock, of Columbus, was a business visitor in Morral this week

Miss Luella McFarlin spent Saturday in Findlay.

Dr J W Jolley transacted professional business in Columbus, Monday and Tuesday

Walter Pryor and daughter, Miss [illegible], have returned form an extended stay at Thornville.

C H. Postle, Saul Strawder and S M Stouffer were visitors in Marion Wednesday afternoon.

I P. and C. F. Barnthouse, of Upper Sandusky, were Morral visitors Wednesday.

Mrs C. D. Hudson graciously entertained a small company of ladies Wednesday afternoon. The ladies enjoyed a season of embroidery work and social chat The hostess served dainty refreshments. The following ladies were entertained: Mrs J H. Ten Eyck, Mrs J. H Barlo, Mrs. C. F. Ritter, Mrs. C. H. Postle, Mrs. J. P Robinson, Mrs E. Browne, Mrs. O. Washburn and Mrs. T. Hedges. Mrs. C. F. Ritter will entertain next Wednesday afternoon.

Friends of E. T Berkley, who is confined to the Dr. C E Sawyer sanatorium have received word that he is not improving as rapidly as could be wished.

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$10 to $30.

$12.50 For This Round D
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Bed Davenport----Twenty Different Styles
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### CITY IN BRIEF.

**John Fisher Hurt**—John Fisher, a chain maker employed in the shops of the Marion Steam Shovel company, was struck over the left eye, Tuesday evening, by a link from a chain and a severe wound was inflicted. He will be off duty several days as a result of the accident.

## GROVER KEIL THE VICTIM OF ACCIDENT

### Shoots Himself in the Calf of Right Leg.

Grover Keil, aged eighteen years, who resides three miles south of the city on the Prospect pike, was the victim of a shooting accident about 8 o'clock Tuesday evening Keil was trying to shoot a rat with a thirty-two calibre revolver when he accidentally shot himself in the right leg, the ball entering the calf of the leg just below the knee and lodging near the bone. A surgeon was called and extracted the ball and the patient will soon recover.

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There is always a quiet demand for wet goods in a dry town.

## YOUNG PEOPLE AR
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### Miss Myrtle Leonard and
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It's a young moon that
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# TWENTIETH CENTURY CLUB IS ENTERTAINED

### Mrs James M'Neff Hostess to the Members

## PLEASING PROGRAM OCCUPIES THE TIME

**A Box Social Is Given by the Pythian Sisters—C. O. Howison Is Given a Surprise by a Large Company of His Friends—LaRue Notes of the Past Week.**

LaRue Oct 28 —[Special ]—The ladies of the Twentieth Century club met at the home of Mrs James McNeff southeast of LaRue, Tuesday afternoon The meeting was called to order by the president, Mrs N Smith and the secretary read the report of the last meeting The program was opened by Mrs R D Henkle with a paper on the Dutch cities The Hague, Amsterdam and Rotterdam Following this, an interesting paper on Quaint Customs of the People was read by Mrs J K Peters The current topics were given by Mrs S A Raub, after which Mrs Farnk Crossen gave a reading on Housekeeping in Holland Mrs Crossen also sang a pretty solo My Very Own The program of the afternoon was closed by the secretary calling the roll to which the members responded with American Scenery Refreshments were served by the hostess during the social hour following adjournment The club will meet with Mrs G W Raub Tuesday, November 1 The social committee, composed of Mrs I S Guthery, Mrs Frank Crossen and Mrs William Drake, has arranged to entertain the club ladies and their husbands at a six o clock dinner Wednesday evening, November [illegible] at the home of Mr and Mrs I S Guthery, south of LaRue

Despite the inclemency of the weather a large crowd enjoyed the box supper given by the Pythian Sisters and their friends Friday evening of last week The order will also serve dinner and supper election day, the proceeds to go toward helping to pay out on the building being erected by the Knights of Pythias of this place

Mr and Mrs C W Rodgers and Mr and Mrs N H Davis were Marion visitors Monday

Mrs Liza Howser and daughters, Rovena and Birdella, of Caledonia, were guests of Mrs Howser's parents Mr and Mrs W H Sprague of this place last week

Mrs M Mortal, Mrs W E Thew, Mrs J Wayne Hoagland and Miss Alma Riley attended a meeting of the Grand chapter of the Eastern Star held in Columbus this week

Mr and Mrs C P Johnson have returned to their home in Columbus after a visit with the former's mother and other relatives

G W Baker, of Marion, was a business visitor at LaRue Monday

Mr and Mrs G E Mouser, of Marion, were guests of relatives here Saturday and Sunday

I Prettyman, of Marion, was a business visitor at LaRue Wednesday

Mr and Mrs S W Simmons, of Quincy have been the guests of their daughter, Mrs J W Slagle, and family the past week

Mrs P Paulsen returned home Wednesday from a week's visit at the John Mustain home south of Agosta

V O Mulvain has sold his property on Marsh street to J E Johnson who has rented his farm four miles north of LaRue to his son, Orlis Mr Johnson and family will move to LaRue about November 1

Mr and Mrs William Walker, of Bowling Green were guests of their son I S Walker, and family of this place from Friday until Monday

Howard Walters, of Lima, was the guest of his sister, Mrs A J Thomasson and family of north High street Saturday and Sunday

Miss Ocie Dilsaver and M C Clements visited the former's parents near Richwood Sunday

Daniel Kane of Lima was a guest at the John Thombs home from Sunday until Tuesday evening Mr Kane lived here several years ago

A new social club called the Thursday club has been organized by a number of ladies of this place They held their first meeting Thursday afternoon of last week at the home of Mrs Burle Hune of east Market street The time was spent in a social way over their needlework interspersed with music The hostess served nice refreshments The next meeting will be with Mrs F Vanorsdall Thursday afternoon November 3

Miss Bess Mills visited Marion relatives a few days last week

Mr and Mrs Parley Lamb of Bellefontaine visited the former's parents Mr and Mrs David Lamb of this place from Friday until Monday

Miss Mae Stahl and Miss Zoa Scott students of Delaware were guests of their parents of this place Saturday and Sunday

Mr and Mrs Charles Engel and son of Marseilles are the guests of Mrs Engel's parents Mr and Mrs C P Scranton of Union street this week

A complete surprise was given C O Howison at his home south of LaRue Sunday October 2 when about eighty of his relatives and friends gathered at his home to remind him of his birthday anniversary A bounteous dinner was served at noon and the afternoon was spent in social conversation Mr Howison received many nice presents one being an emblem ring of the Knights of Pythias order Those present were Mr and Mrs Neil Howison and daughter Evola Vane Conklin and Ray Howison of Ashley Mr and Mrs Sidney Elzey of Magnetic Springs Mr and Mrs Harris Sloop and son and Miss Pearl Howison of Richwood Mrs Amanda Case and Miss Ida Vannausdle of Centerburg Mr and Mrs Peter Graves Mr and Mrs James Johnston Mr and Mrs Ray Welsh Mr and Mrs Thomas Anson and two sons Mr and Mrs Frank Behrens and children Mr and Mrs Frank Evans and son Mr and Mrs Fleming Kirby and son and daughter Burle Howison Mrs Armínda Griffith and son Harry Mrs Rose Smith and children and Miss Lita Snyder of Prospect Mr and Mrs Joseph Boggs Mr and Mrs Floyd Terry and son Lee and Mrs Elizabeth Case of La Rue Mr and Mrs C Frank and daughters Grace and Ruth Mr and Mrs William Little and son Neil Mr and Mrs A I Jones and son Harold Mr and Mrs Grant Williams and daughter Fern Mr and Mrs John Thomasson and daughter Pearl Mr and Mrs Harry Williams son Ronald and daughter Lura Mr and Mrs James Beckley Mr and Mrs S P Trumbo and daughter Irene and son Walter Mr and Mrs Virden Dutton and children Mr and Mrs Sherman Dutton Mr and Mrs Marion Aller and children Mr and Mrs M O Watkins and son Idris Mr and Mrs L L Aller and daughter Ruth Misses Nida and Ida Trumbo, Miss Leona Southwick Earl and Messrs John Withrow Frank Beckley Grover Case Fred Trumbo and Ralph Howison

Mrs John Alt and Mrs Miner a Campbell were Marion visitors Monday

W O Rish and Edward Price were Marion visitors Sunday

Mrs V Ellis was a Marion visitor Tuesday

Clovis Holliday and George Johnson students at Ada visited their parents over Sunday

Mrs A D White and children of Marion were guests of Mrs White's parents Mr and Mrs A M Scott of this place Saturday and Sunday

Mrs Allison Amrine celebrated her seventieth birthday anniversary Wednesday at her home on west Vine street At noon a sumptuous dinner was served her children and grandchildren with two brothers and Mr Amrine enjoying the meal with her Those present were Mr and Mrs F H Lingo Mr and Mrs W H Lingo Miss Oza Lingo Donald and Merle Lingo Mr and Mrs A F Marsh and daughters Lila, Doris and Gertrude and S B White of this place and L B White a brother of Lorain

Miss Iris Thombs was a visitor in Marion Tuesday

## JOHN M'DOLE DIES SUDDENLY AT LARUE

**Death Is Due to a Broken Blood Vessel**

La Rue Oct 28 —[Special ]—John McDole died very suddenly at his home at this place Thursday afternoon at 3 30 o clock Mr McDole was apparently in the best of health and had been up street during the afternoon When he returned home he carried an armful of wood to the house and shortly afterward was seized by an attack of coughing and fell to the floor Those near him rushed to his side and asked him what physician they should call He told them it was not necessary to call a doctor and almost immediately died His death was due to a broken blood vessel caused by coughing

Mr McDole was aged sixty five years and twenty eight days and was very well known in this vicinity having resided on a farm east of here forty years He moved to La Rue three years ago

The deceased is survived by his widow and leaves no other near relatives

The funeral will be held from the residence Saturday afternoon at 1 o clock Rev M B Scott of the M E church officiating Burial will be made in the La Rue cemetery

## RICHLAND TOWNSHIP EMBROIDERY CLUB

**Mrs Perry Imbody Is Hostess to Members**

The H I Embroidery circle of Richland township met at the home of Mrs Perry Imbody nine miles southeast of Marion Thursday afternoon The home was decorated with potted plants and chrysanthemums

After the usual hour of embroidery work a contest A Heart to Heart Talk About Age was held in which the first prize was won by Mrs Elias Firstenberger and the second by Mrs William Hensel In a drawing contest Mrs Clinton Click won the honors Refreshments were served

Mrs I J Crimm of Agosta and Mrs Fred Klingel were club guests

The next meeting will be held November 17 with Mrs Henry Mautz in the same neighborhood

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If shelves and floors of closets are wiped with water which is hot with cayenne pepper insects will be kept away Borax and alum are good to put into the cracks

# COUNTRY HOME THE SCENE OF GATHERING

### Miss Melicent Fields Honors a Party of Friends

## HALLOWEEN SOCIALS OF VILLAGE LODGE

**Caledonia Orders Plan for Future Social Affairs—Friends of Mr and Mrs I A Roberts Pass a Delightful Evening in Various Social Diversions—Some Caledonia Notes**

Caledonia Oct 28 —[Special ]—Miss Melicent Fields honored a party of young people at her country home south of here last Friday night in honor of her cousin Lewis Fields and his guest Joseph Debus both of Chicago The hostess and Miss Susie Thew in Gypsy garb read the futures of the guests while music and games furnished ample entertainment for the guests A dainty lunch was served

Mrs K F Highly entertained a party of friends Monday evening in honor of her husband's thirty second birthday The affair was planned as a total surprise on Mr Highly who returned from work to find the house occupied by the party After a season of congratulations and social enjoyment a fine supper was served

Mrs Charles Pommert and children Melvin and Louella returned Monday night from Denver Colorado where they have spent the past four months Melvin has recovered from a severe attack of typhoid fever which he suffered while in Denver He was in the hospital there nine weeks

Mrs David Knight left last Thursday with her sisters Mrs John Gale and Mrs Charles Williams for a visit of several months at her old home near Zanesville

Calvin Resler of Taylorsville Illinois was the guest of her cousin John Resler and family last week

Nelson Jiftey of Montcvill Indiana is the guest of his mother Mrs H A Hinsher this week

J C Irwin and son J J Irwin spent Sunday with relatives in Delaware

Mrs William Safford and daughter Isabelle have returned to their homes in Marion after a week's visit with relatives here

Mrs I I Fell and Mrs G W Ault are attending the Grand chapter of the Eastern Star meeting in Columbus this week Mr and Mrs C G Underwood took them as far as Delaware in their automobile Tuesday

Mr and Mrs Thomas Seckel entertained the following relatives at dinner Sunday Mr and Mrs Henry Seckel and four sons of Marion Mr and Mrs Jefferson Winters and daughter Marie and Mr and Mrs Clifford Seckel of this place

Mrs Dora Winch who resides northeast of this place is suffering a severe attack of inflammatory rheumatism also from the effects of a painful injury which she suffered last Wednesday She was in the barn milking when the cow kicked her and knocked her against the side of the barn She was badly bruised

Mr and Mrs I D Burt entertained the latter's mother Mrs Eveline Riley of Ashley several days last week

Mr and Mrs Floyd Roush and daughter of near Gallipolis are the guests of Mr and Mrs Howard Ward this week

The different lodges will hold Halloween socials beginning with the Eastern Star chapter which will entertain Saturday night Tuesday evening the Pythian Sisters will hold an old fashioned Halloween social The following evening the Rebekahs will hold a regular meeting after which they will hold a social session and serve refreshments suggestive of the occasion

A few friends of Mr and Mrs E A Robert spent a very pleasant hour at their home Wednesday evening in commemoration of the host's birthday Five tables of Five Hundred were in progress during the evening while several of the guests furnished piano selections and little Miss Evelyn Rolfe rendered several pretty solos Those present were Mr and Mrs John Rolfe and daughter Evelyn Mr and Mrs Chalmer Kelly and daughter Margaret Mr and Mrs Heath Culberson Mr and Mrs H M Hatt and daughter Helena Mary Misses Wave Baker Viola Fittman Virginia Underwood Anna Fittman and Gertrude Seckel and Messrs J B Irwin and A M Monnette

The Epworth league of the M E church has arranged for a box social at the church parlors Friday night

Merle Douce is laid up with a very sore foot as the result of cutting an artery while chopping wood on the S I Fields farm Monday afternoon Dr J B King was called for surgical assistance and it required several stitches to close the wound

The Shuberts a quartet of singers and entertainers gave the first number of the lecture course Tuesday evening The hall was well filled and the entertainment highly appreciated

Francis H J Day is off duty this week on account of a carbuncle on the back of his neck

Mrs Elizabeth Gaertz departed Thursday for St Paul Minnesota where she will spend the winter with her daughter Mrs Dora Arens

# Home Course In Tree Preservation

By JOHN DAVEY
**Father of Tree Surgery**

## IV.—Errors In Transplanting Trees

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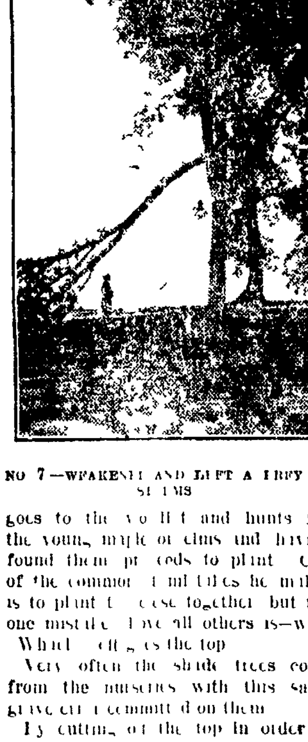
AMERICA was the land of forests but mountain and hill and plain are now about denuded of her trees thereby destroying both wealth and glory I was recently called to Phillipsburg Pa to give a lecture on The Salvation of Our Trees and in going from Tyrone to Phillipsburg it nearly made me heart sick The beautiful hills in that part of the Allegheny mountains were entirely stripped of trees and even the young growth six inches in diameter had been cut two to be used as mining props The coal mines are nearly exhausted and many people told me they would not live on the lands just for paying the taxes for they would starve to death And yet in those hills forty years ago were growing the most magnificent specimens of pines hemlock and other conifers It is with sadness that the people have seen the pristine forests fade away

"There is an instinctive love of the tree in man and as he looks upon the barren bleakness of the vast expanse he sighs for something to relieve the dreary monotonous barrenness of the soil and commences to realize what it means to be without shelter in the heat of summer and no trees to break the fury of the blasts in winter hence he readily saw that there should be shade trees by the highway clumps or groves around the home as well as the fruit trees in the orchard and garden He goes to the woodlot and hunts for the young maple or elms and having found them proceeds to plant One of the common faults he makes is to plant trees close together but the one mistake above all others is—well Which cuts off the top



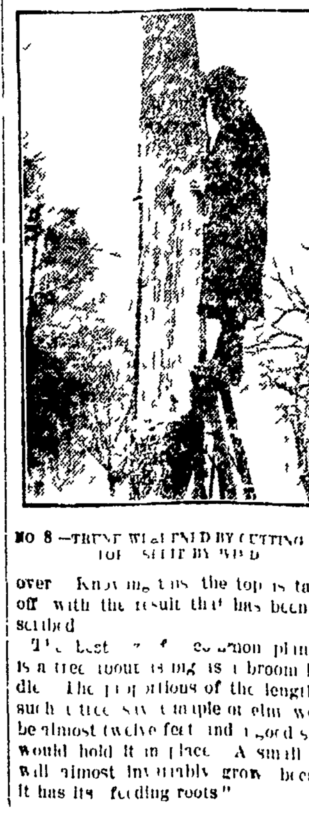
NO 7—WEAKENED AND LEFT A PREY TO STORMS

Very often the shade trees come from the nurseries with this same grave error committed on them

By cutting off the top in order to live at all the growth is forced out from the twigs and as the stub gradually decays a weak point is made right in the center so that as soon as the branches are of any considerable size the storms and windstorms rend it open at that point where the greatest strength is required Every storm that comes along is weakening it still more and the larger the branches the greater the leverage of the wind

A storm had just passed and taken off one third of the farthest tree in illustration No 7 It had also split the other two badly In other words the tree was ruined In illustration No 8 just one half of the tree is wrenched off in a violent storm and this tree also is ruined

The next fault [illegible] lies in selecting too large a tree and being too large the height of it is objectionable and the wind would be apt to blow it over Knowing this the top is taken off with the result that has been described



NO 8 —TRUNK WEAKENED BY CUTTING OFF TOP—SPLIT BY WIND

The best size for common planting is a tree about as big as a broom handle The proportions of the length of such a tree say a maple or elm would be almost twelve feet and a good stake would hold it in place A small tree will almost invariably grow because it has its feeding roots"

# PLEASANT GATHERING AT THE PFEIFFER HOME

### Celebration of an Anniversary of Host's Birth

## GAMES AND MUSIC OCCUPY THE TIME

**A Reunion of the Crabb Family Is Held Near Meeker With a Very Large Attendance—The Thimble Club Holds Its First Meeting at the Rhoads Home**

Meeker Oct 28 —[Special ]

Pleasant indeed was the gathering at the home of Joseph P Pfeiffer last Tuesday evening when in honor of Mr Pfeiffer's sixty fourth birthday a number of friends were entertained Mrs Pfeiffer and her daughter Bessie Pfeiffer assisting in entertaining the guests In a contest Howard Virden won first prize and Ava Peters received the consolation token Games and music made the time pass pleasantly and refreshments were served by the hostesses The guests were members of the Progressive Bible class to which Mr Pfeiffer belongs and their colors blue and white were used in the decorating scheme Those who had the pleasure of enjoying the hospitality of Mr and Mrs Pfeiffer were Mr and Mrs Howard Virden and son Carlton Dr and Mrs C S Burnside and daughters Mildred and Marian Mr and Mrs E E Thomas and sons Harker and Paul Mr and Mrs James Guthrie Mr and Mrs Harvey McIntire Mr and Mrs I A McCrary and son Willard Mr and Mrs Frank Morral and daughter Opal Mr and Mrs A M Peters and children Roy Floyd and Bernice Mr and Mrs Henry Rhoads and daughter Mildred Mrs Eugene Thompson Mr and Mrs John Brunner Mr and Mrs Charles McElvy Mr and Mrs F M Wood Mr and Mrs Vernon Pfeiffer and daughter Auriel Rae and Mr and Mrs Joseph Pfeiffer Jr and daughter Esta Each guest remembered the host with a postcard

A reunion of the Crabb family was much enjoyed by the members of various branches of the family Saturday at the home of Mr and Mrs Charles Anderson northwest of Meeker The affair was given in honor of Mr and Mrs Daniel Crabb of London who are visiting here A sumptuous dinner was served at 12 o clock and the afternoon was spent in social chat and music furnished by the guests There were present Mrs Ellen Drake of Ada Mrs Avery Crabb of Marion Mrs Mary Kelly and daughter Hanna of Galion Mr and Mrs Floyd Buckingham and children Margery and Mary of Marseilles Mr and Mrs Harry Cook and family Zora Iza and Lowell Mr and Mrs William Crabb and daughters Opal and Gladys and Mr and Mrs Roy Anderson of LaRue Mr and Mrs Trey Anderson Mr and Mrs Daniel Strawser and sons Roy and Ray Mrs Abram Smith Miss Nettie Smith Mr and Mrs W V Rhoads Miss Delle and Lizzie Anderson and Mr Lewis Anderson of near Meeker

Mr and Mrs Joseph Pfeiffer Jr and daughter Esta were guests of Mrs I A McClerry at Salem over Sunday

Miss Burkhardt of Iberia commenced teaching at Spring Hill north of Meeker Monday morning There has been much difficulty in securing teachers

Mrs Lydia Webb was the guest of Mrs Lillie Miller and family near De Cliff Sunday

[illegible] Metz and Homer Brittan visited friends in Marion Sunday afternoon

Mr and Mrs Earl Thomas and sons Harker and Paul and Mr and Mrs Frank Morral and daughters Opal Mabel were visiting relatives in Kenton Sunday

Mrs Alice Lewis spent Sunday with Mr and Mrs Ernest Wiley

Alga Sprague spent Monday in Marion

C J [illegible] made a business trip to Columbus Thursday

Mrs Eliza Kennedy and grandson Andrew Anthony are spending a few days with Mr and Mrs Christian [illegible] of Urbana

Mr and Mrs I A McCrary and son Willard were guests of Mr and Mrs John Brunner Sunday

Tom [illegible] and John Alexander were guests of Frank Hollis Sunday

Mr and Mrs Henry Rhoads and children Roy Floyd and Grace were Sunday guests of Mr and Mrs William Ducat

Mrs Benjamin Drake of Ada has been the guest of Mr and Mrs William Drake and other friends here for a few days

Mr and Mrs John Peters of LaRue were guests of Mr and Mrs Henry Rhoads Sunday

Mrs Mame Forline and children returned to their home in Zion City Sunday evening having spent the past week with her brother Edward Forland and family

Misses Carl Hatfield and Cecile Spring and Clifford Kinsler were Marion visitors Saturday evening

J O Mason was called to Marion [illegible] the illness of his son [illegible] who is suffering with typhoid fever The young man was moved from his boarding [illegible] to the hospital where he will be [illegible]

Mr and Mrs Ethel Watts and son, Carlton of Columbus were guests of Mrs John Brunner and family the past week

Miss Mabel Brown who has been attending school at Ada is seriously ill at the home of her parents one mile west of Meeker

Mrs Herbert Ford is recovering nicely as is also Mrs Georgia Metz

Mr and Mrs Allison Clements and daughter Wanda spent Monday with relatives at [illegible]

Mr and Mrs David Dutton and son Ray of south of Agosta were guests of Mr and Mrs Joseph Fisher Saturday and Sunday

Earl Schertz of Marion spent the past week with his parents here

The Epworth League held a missionary rally Sunday evening at which Miss Kate Titus presented the various courses of study and gave an interesting talk along the line of missionary work Miss Bess Pfeiffer sang a solo

Mr and Mrs Fred Scheitzer and daughter Opal moved to Mt Victory Tuesday Mr Scheitzer and his family have lived in the community for years and have many friends here who will regret their removal

Mr and Mrs Carl Williams have gone to housekeeping in the flat belonging to W K Hatfield and are now at home to their many friends

Miss Kate Titus and Charles Bowen of Marion were guests at the E B Titus home Sunday afternoon

The building formerly owned by Miss Carrie Mears has changed hands twice being sold first to Charles Mount and then to Samuel Morral who has moved it to the corner of his farm where he will improve it for future use

Mr and Mrs John Evans of Marion were guests of Mr and Mrs June Sprague Sunday

Mrs A N Longuet and son Donald of Marion spent a few days last week here and they with Mr Longuet were guests of Mr and Mrs Charles Sprague Sunday

Mr and Mrs Charles Lamb of LaRue were guests of Mr and Mrs W E Mears Sunday

Mr and Mrs Charles Metz and children of LaRue were guests of Mr and Mrs Allison Clements Sunday

Miss Emma Day returned home Monday after a two weeks visit with friends in Columbus

Mr and Mrs Frank Miller of De Cliff and Mrs Lou Sloat of Marion were guest of Mr and Mrs J O Mason Thursday

Mr and Mrs William Osban and children Goldie, Reva and John John Llewelling and Gladys Borland were guests of Mr and Mrs Mac Kemerer northeast of Agosta Sunday

Mr and Mrs Riley Davis spent Sunday with Mr and Mrs J O Mason

A daughter was born to Mr and Mrs Charles Strawser Monday afternoon

John Kunnel is dangerously ill at his home near Pleasant Hill of cancer of the stomach

Mr and Mrs Carl McElvy and son Emerson spent Sunday evening with Mr and Mrs Walter Wynn

Elmer Chambers met with an accident Monday afternoon while loading baled hay on the farm of Otis Salm near Marseilles in which he suffered a badly sprained knee

Mr and Mrs Walter Wynn spent Sunday as guests of Mr and Mrs Alfred Moore at Harpster

Ava Peters and Walter Wynn spent a few days last week at the Lewistown reservoir

A C Brown made a business trip to Marion Monday

Fine Hatfield went to Marion Tuesday to spend a few days with relatives there

The Thimble club held its regular monthly meeting at the home of Mrs Ida Rhoads Thursday afternoon A number was present and passed the afternoon with work and social chat Refreshments were served by the hostess Those present were Mrs Claud Gates and daughter Madeline Mrs Ranson Irvin Mrs Sara McElvy Mrs Lora McElvy Mrs F M Wood Mrs John Brunner Mrs Alma Rhoads and Mrs Lizzie Everett Mr William Rhoads and Master Emerson McElvy were visitors

Mr and Mrs James McIntire and their son Lester McIntire wife and son John David of north of Marion were guests of Mr and Mrs Clyde McIntire and family at Blanchard from Saturday till Monday

Andrew Peters of Marion has been the guest of his daughter Mrs Henry Rhoads since Wednesday

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### Contracting the World

The world is growing too small. One can go to Peking in a fortnight an aeroplane service is to be run from Algiers to Timbuctoo and a wireless station is being installed on Crusoe's Island Farewell to mystery!—Paris Eclair

### Good Work Being Done in France

France is systematically reforesting its barren places to revive the soil abate floods mitigate droughts provide employment for her workers and furnish raw materials for her factories

### Gastronomic Prize Medalist

The man who invents a noiseless method of eating corn on the cob and points out how one can partake of watermelon without getting his ears wet will be a true benefactor

# AN UNUSUAL EVENT AT LINDSAY HOME

### Wedding Anniversaries and Birthdays Celebrated

## FORTY RELATIVES ENJOY GATHERING

**Mr and Mrs L P Lindsay Are Given a Surprise and Those in the Company Pass a Delightful Season in Social Pleasures—List of Those in Attendance**

An unusual event was celebrated at the home of Mr and Mrs L P Lindsay of No 600 north State street Thursday when two wedding anniversaries and four birthdays were celebrated

It being the birthday anniversaries of both Mr and Mrs Lindsay about forty of their relatives planned a surprise on Mrs Lindsay and arrived at the home about noon with well filled baskets An elegant four course dinner was prepared by the women from the contents of the baskets and a feast was enjoyed The table and rooms were prettily decorated with white chrysanthemums After dinner the company visited and spent the time with happy reminiscences

The others celebrating the day were Mr and Mrs C I Hinamon who today had been married fourteen years Mr and Mrs G W Hinamon who are married thirty years and Mr G W Hill and Mrs M J Hinamon who have birthdays today

Those enjoying the occasion were Mr and Mrs G F Malcolm of Bucyrus Mr and Mrs D M Hinamon, Mr and Mrs G W Hinamon Mr and Mrs M J Hinamon Mr and Mrs C I Hinamon Mr and Mrs K S Hinamon Mr and Mrs J J Hinamon Mr and Mrs L P Lindsay Mr and Mrs H M Brewer Mr and Mrs J W Miller Mr and Mrs C W Hill Mr and Mrs F C Jones Mr Mont Lindsay Mildred and Ruth Hill Fred Darwin and Louise Hinamon Helen Paul and Mary Alice Miller Edna and Gertrude Brewer Grace Mary and Clyde Hinamon Dean Josephine and Donna May Hinamon

## AID SOCIETY MEETS AT POWELSON HOME

**News Notes of the Past Week at Agosta.**

Agosta Oct 28 —[Special ]—Espyville Aid society members were entertained at the home of C E Powelson Wednesday afternoon

Mrs R O Richards, of this place and Mrs Thomas Richards, of Morral were called to Flint, Michigan Friday by the death of Mrs R O Richards's granddaughter They were accompanied home by Miss Genevieve Richards of Flint, Michigan Monday

Mr and Mrs Frank Horton, of near Richwood were the guests of Mr and Mrs I D Horton Friday

Miss Mae Young was a visitor in Marion Saturday

Mr and Mrs Charles Williams were guests of Mr and Mrs Charles Schultz of Morral Sunday

Miss Della Iron spent Saturday in Marion

Mr and Mrs Harvey Thombs of Espyville Pennsylvania were the guests of Mr and Mrs George Deal of near DeCliff last week

Mr and Mrs Ellsworth Shinn and daughter Jane of Ashland and Miss Edna Stockwell of Prospect are the guests of Mr David Bilger

Mr and Mrs F J Hill of Marion were visitors here Wednesday

Miss Edna Dutton spent the week end with Mr and Mrs W H Holverstott of Marion

Mrs Laura Warren of Ft Wayne Indiana is spending a few weeks with Mrs Aley Baker

Earl Laird of Richwood spent Saturday with his brother Charles

Mr and Mrs Don Clements and son Irvin of near De Cliff were guests of Mr and Mrs I J Horton Sunday

Mr and Mrs S L Carey were calling on LaRue friends Monday

Mr and Mrs Frank Cornell of Green Camp and Miss Zeralda Baker of Marion spent Saturday with Mrs Hannah Longuet

Mr and Mrs Peter Clixby and daughter Olive of north of Meeker were entertained at the S L Carey home Sunday

Mrs C Huffman and children were Marion visitors Saturday

Mrs Benjamin Rogers of Richwood returned home Monday after a few days visit with Mrs J Hosler

Mrs Frank Mason of Tiffin and daughter Valeria are visiting Mrs Mason's parents Mr and Mrs W G Dutton

Rev H I Butler and sister Miss M Hunt of Hicksville visited at the Butler home Wednesday

Howard Longuet of Marion was calling on friends here Tuesday

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### Expressive

One day little George's father brought home some Rocquefort cheese Upon being asked how he liked it, George replied with all seriousness 'Papa, it tastes just like the animal cages at the circus —Success Magazine.

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### Mistake Some Women Make.

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**COMMON PLEAS COURT.**

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Andrew J. Underwood against Martha A. Underwood, widow of George Underwood, and others, is the title of a suit to partition 96½ acres in Claridon township, filed in the common pleas court through Attorney Fred L. Carhart.

In the divorce action of Charles M. Powers against May Powers, the defendant has filed an answer setting up a general denial, and a motion for allimony for the support of herself and children pending the suit.

A general denial is set up in the answer of Frank D. Smith, defendant in an action for a divorce brought by Mary E. Smith.

In the matte of the Wollenweber Lumber company against George M. Pennell and others in the common pleas court, the plaintiffs have filed a reply and answer to the cross-petition of Nellie V. Pennell.

Marriage licenses have been granted to Miss Harriet M. Wolford and Mr. Harvey T. Gracely, both of this city; Miss Iva May Epley, of Claridon, and Mr. Howard C. Smith, of near Caledonia.

Marriage licenses have been issued to Miss Iva May Epley and Howard C. Smith; Mrs. Sarah M. Johnson and John Henry Hartley, and Miss Salina Belle Olin and Edward Cottrell.

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# INTERESTING REPORT FILED BY RECEIVER

## Progress of the Business of the C., D. & M.

## IMPROVEMENTS ON ROAD DURING YEAR

**The Earnings Are Highly Satisfactory and the Operating Expenses Are Within Reason—Many New Ties Are Laid During the Year and the Roadbed Improved.**

In the report of Receiver Eli M. West, of the Columbus, Delaware & Marion Interurban railway company, which has been filed, it is shown that the earnings of the company under the receivership have increased remarkably. In this city the earnings have increased twenty per cent.

The report shows that the gross earnings of the year amounted to $259,136.52 as against gross earnings of the previous year of $314,964.33. It also shows that the operating expenses of the year amounted to $206,284.85 as against $179,190.32 during the year previous. The difference is explained by the fact that in the previous year the company had neglected to do repair work and that as a consequence the roadbeds were in bad shape and extra expense was caused by this neglect.

In referring to the report, the Delaware Gazette says: "When the receiver took charge he found the people from Marion to Columbus arrayed against the C., D. and M. The people of Worthington had suits against the company before the Ohio railroad commission, the people of Delaware were angry because the road had gone to law and delayed street improvements. All along the line some one had a complaint to make."

Many of these suits have been dismissed and everything is now harmonious on the road. Mr. West found that a contract had been made with the Wells-Fargo company for carrying express costing the road $6,000 a year. This contract was abrogated and the company now gets $468 a month from the express company.

During the year 29,000 ties have been used in repairing the roadbed.

As a result of the efforts of Mr. West, it is shown in the report that on the main line between Columbus and Marion the gross earnings amounted to $248,587, as against $219,350.53 for the year previous.

# BRANDENBURG WANTED BY LOCAL AUTHORITIES

## Man Is Wanted for Robbing William Rice.

## COUPLE OF DRUNKS BEFORE THE MAYOR

**The Men Are Fined for Being Intoxicated and Causing a Disturbance on a C., D. & M. Car—The Police Are Kept Busy Wednesday Evening—Police Notes.**

William Rice filed an affidavit in the mayor's court, Wednesday, charging Al Brandenberg with stealing an overcoat, a pair of shoes, suit of clothes, cap and necktie from his room. Rice came here a little over a week ago and while making inquiries where to secure a room, Brandenberg invited him to stay at his room on east Church street. Brandenberg was working part of the time at Kanable's garage on north State street. When Rice returned from work in one of the shops, Tuesday evening, he discovered that his clothes were gone and also his rooming partner. Further investigation revealed that Brandenberg was charged with taking a pair of goggles, a pair of gloves and some other articles from the garage where he was employed. He had been in the city little more than two weeks. The local department has mailed descriptions of the man to various places in the state with a view to apprehending him.

Bert Smith and Charles Watkins were arrested when they alighted from a car coming from Bucyrus, Wednesday night, by Officer McColly, on a charge of intoxication and causing a disturbance on the car. Thursday, an affidavit was filed against them by C. M. Wilson, conductor of the car, charging them with intoxication and disorderly conduct. Both entered pleas of guilty when arraigned before the mayor and they were each fined five dollars and the costs which amounted to $2.80.

Harry Rowe, who resigned his position as an Erie detective to accept the position on the local police force made vacant by the resignation of Ira Shrock, began duty Wednesday night.

The police were kept on the jump, Wednesday night, answering calls sent in from various parts of the city where boys were destroying property and making it unpleasant for many of the residents. When the police arrived on the scene the boys could not be found, but traces of their being there were plain. Owing to the small force of policemen, considerable trouble is anticipated in holding the mischievous youngsters in check. As yet no volunteers have come to the mayor to be sworn in for duty to protect property in any residence section of the city.

Mrs. May Dickerson, who was arrested near Centerville, Tuesday, by Chief Christian, of Galion, and taken back to that place on a charge of stealing a gold watch, was given a hearing before Mayor Hartman Wednesday. The woman entered a plea of guilty to petit larceny and was fined $50 and the costs in the case and sentenced to thirty days in the Columbus workhouse.

# JOINED IN MARRIAGE AT HOME OF BRIDE

## Miss Harriett M. Wolford and Mr. Harvey T. Gracely.

## REV. G. E. BARNARD PERFORMS CEREMONY

**A Small Company of Friends and Relatives Witnesses the Marriage Rites—Mr. and Mrs. Gracely Have Many Friends Throughout City—Wedding Journey.**

Surrounded by a company of over fifty of their relatives and intimate young friends, Miss Harriett May Wolford and Mr. Harvey T. Gracely were united in marriage at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. Mary A. Wolford, of east Church street, Wednesday evening, a few minutes after 7:30 o'clock. The young people took their places unattended before the officiating minister, Rev. G. E. Barnard, of the Free Baptist church, who read the beautiful and impressive Episcopal ring ceremony. The bride was becomingly gowned in white silk crepe with old lace and hand-embroidered trimmings.

The home was brightened with large bouquets of white chrysanthemums and greenery, carrying out the color theme of green and white. In the dining-room, where the bride's table was laid, the decorations were in white roses, a large basket of maiden-hair fern and bride roses, tied with bows of white tulle, forming a centerpiece on the table. The remainder of the company was seated at small tables about the parlors. A three-course wedding dinner was served.

During the evening, Mr. and Mrs. Gracely left, amid the good wishes of their friends, on a wedding journey to New York City, Philadelphia and Washington. Upon their return they will be at home to their friends after December 1 at No. 517 east Church street.

The gifts received by Mr. and Mrs. Gracely were numerous and beautiful.

The bride is the only daughter of Mrs. Mary A. Wolford and is an accomplished and pleasing young woman and a favorite in the younger social set. She is a member of the graduating class of 1906 of the local High school and attended the Conservatory of Music at Oberlin one year.

Mr. Gracely is a son of Mr. and Mrs. William Gracely, of south Main street, and holds an important position in the engineering department of the Marion Steam Shovel company. He is also a graduate of the local High school, and a young man of splendid qaulities.

Those in attendance at the wedding from a distance were Dr. and Mrs. N. N. West, of Cleveland; Mr. and Mrs. Morris Johnston, of Toledo; Mr. and Mrs. Carl Albrecht, of Cincinnati; Miss Ruth Whysall, of Bucyrus; Dr. T. E. Sonnanstine, of Ottawa; Mr. Edwin Manz, of Parkersburg, West Virginia, and Mr. H. McAfee, of Wooster.

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**PROBATE COURT.**

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A temporary injunction has been granted by Probate Judge Spencer to Charles M. Powers restraining May Powers from removing household goods from the residence at No. 2[illegible] north Main street.

# AN ORGAN RECITAL AT BAPTIST CHURCH

## Music Lovers Are Given a Treat Wednesday.

## THE ATTENDANCE EXTREMELY GOOD

**Some of the Best Talent of the City Appears on the Program Which Is Pleasing in the Extreme—The Ninth of a Series of Organ Recitals at Free Baptist Church.**

An exceptionally fine program was rendered at the ninth organ recital given at the Free Baptist church, Wednesday afternoon. Qute a large number of the music-lovers of the city took advantage of this opportunity to hear some of the best local talent in Marion, and were more than pleased with their selections.

The first number on the program was an organ solo, "Short Prelude and Fugue in D Minor," by Miss Grace P. Durfee. Miss Mary Dennison Gailey, Marion's talented violinist, then rendered "Adoration" by Borowski, accompanied by Miss Durfee. Mrs. V. E. Dombaugh played an organ solo, "Gavotte," by Mignon, after which she acted as accompanist to Miss Sadamae Allen, who sang beautifully, "O, Lord, Thou Hast Searched Me Out," by Gilchrist.

"Jubilant March," Faulkes, an organ solo by Miss Durfee, was very good, and was followed by another violin solo, "Berceuse," Jocelyn Godard, by Miss Gailey. On this number Miss Gailey received an encore, but did not respond. After a solo, "Morning Hymn," Henschel, sung by Miss Allen, Mrs. Dombaugh closed the program with a well-rendered organ solo, "March and Chorus," Tannhauser, Wagner.

## PLEASANT SURPRISE FOR LOCAL FRIENDS

**Miss Nellie Hunt and Mr. Addison Lease Married.**

The announcement has been received here of the marriage of Miss Nellie Hunt and Mr. Addison Lease, which took place in Indianapolis, Wednesday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock.

Miss Hunt is quite well known here, where she has made many friends during her frequent visits. She spent a portion of each summer visiting at the home of Mrs. Elva C. Gunder, of Oak street.

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**BIRTHS.**

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A son was born, Saturday, to Mr. and Mrs. Dudley D. Chase, of Washington street.

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## JURY ACQUITS TYPIST TODAY

### Trial of Miss Leneve Comes to Sudden End.

### FAVORABLE VERDICT IS A BIG SURPRISE

### Girl's Appearance Wins Sympathy of Crowd.

**Gist of Prosecutor's Argument Is That Miss Leneve Is the Inspiration for Crippen's Crime and Muir Makes Impassioned Plea to Jury To Convict Typist, but Jury Considers Girl's Condition.**

London, Oct. 25.—After a trial of unexpected brevity, today, Ethel Clare Leneve was acquitted of the charge of being an accessory after the fact to the murder of Belle Elmore Crippen.

The speedy and favorable verdict by the jury was a big surprise, for, following the sentence of death, last Saturday, of Dr. Hawley Harvey Crippen for the murder of his wife, it was expected that Miss Leneve, his former stenographer and sweetheart, would receive a brief prison sentence.

Miss Leneve did not take the stand in her own defense. Pale and trembling and apparently fearful of an adverse verdict, she pleaded not guilty to the charge that she "did afterward feloniously receive, comfort, harbor, assist and maintain" Dr Crippen.

Richard D. Muir, the crown prosecutor, started out as though he intended to prosecute the girl as vigorously as he did Crippen, and in his opening statement he urged that the prisoner undoubtedly knew of the murder of Mrs. Crippen, as she was the motive for the crime.

**Only a Few Witnesses.**

Only a few witnesses were called by the prosecution, however, and the examination of these was brief, with no determined effort made to bring out damaging evidence against the girl

Lord Chief Justice Alverstone, who arraigned Crippen in such merciless fashion, summed up the evidence for the jury and his every word and action clearly indicated that his sympathy was with the unfortunate prisoner, whose delicate condition was a point in her favor. The jury retired at 3:54, and within a few minutes it was announced to the court that an agreement had been reached. Three minutes later the jury returned to its box and handed the lord chief justice its verdict When the acquittal was announced there was an attempt at applause in the crowded court-room, which was quickly suppressed by the court bailiffs.

Miss Leneve was almost overcome with joy, and wept and laughed hysterically. Her aged father and mother were the first to reach her, and their emotion was as marked as that of the girl.

The jury was out only nineteen minutes. Immediately after the verdict was read, the court ordered the release of Miss Leneve In order to escape the great crowd that awaited outside of Old Bailey, Miss Leneve remained in the building for nearly an hour, by which time the police had succeeded in dispersing those without.

## THE TWO SHIPS ARE SURELY LOST

**Owners Give Up Hope of Hearing from Hurricane Victims.**

Mobile, Ala., Oct. 25.—All hope for the safety of the schooners Hieronymus and Otis has been abandoned. Diligent inquiry here and from other ports failed to bring any tidings of either vessel. The Otis sailed out of Moss Point, Miss., for Havana. No word has been heard from her. Hieronymus Brothers, owners of the Hieronymus, say that no tidings have been received from Captain Summerville or members of the crew It is feared here that the British schooner George A. Lowry from Truxillo, Honduras, for Mobile, with a cargo of cocoanuts, was also lost in the hurricane of last week.

### Derelict Sighted.

New Orleans, Oct. 25.—A wireless to the United Fruit company from the steamer Ellis that a wrecked schooner had been sighted in latitude 29 north and longitude 88.8 west will probably lead to a relief expedition from Mobile, as the boat is supposed to be the four-master Holliswood, which was abandoned by all its crew except the captain.

### Hymn Books for Gunwads.

The 130th anniversary of the battle of Springfield, which was won by the Continental soldiers by reason of the fact that they were able to wad their guns with hymn books, was celebrated at Springfield the other day, by the New Jersey Society, S. A. R., with the dedication of a flagpole in the Revolutionary burying ground. The hymn books were used at the behest of the minister of the old Presbyterian church which still stands. He was the Rev. James Caldwell, and when he saw the tide of battle turning against the Colonists because they could not get wadding for their guns he brought out the books from the church and said: "Give 'em Watts, boys; give 'em Watts."

### An English Custom.

In England a small carafe, or water bottle, with a drinking glass inverted over the top, is always kept in every bedroom, and freshly filled morning and night. This is a most convenient custom where there is not running water in or near the room, as one will often go without the wished for swallow after a disagreeable pill, or to relieve a sudden cough or sneeze, rather than trouble to send for it. Children are always "wanting a drink," and they can be taught to get it for themselves if it is always in some convenient place, and kept free from dust by the overturned tumbler is far better for them than ice water in an open pitcher.

### Intoxicated by Tobacco.

Giving evidence against a man on a charge of disorderly conduct at Bow street police court, a constable said that the accused behaved in a very violent and disorderly manner in Leicester square on Tuesday evening. He quarreled with a cabman, and eventually the witness took him into custody, believing him to be drunk. At the police station, the prisoner denied that he had been drinking, and the doctor who examined him reported that he had chewed tobacco to such an extent that it had had the same effect upon him as alcohol.—Pall Mall Gazette.

### Giving His Number.

Although the little boy of a Philadelphia lawyer had talked several times through the telephone to his father he had never gone to the formalities necessary to call his parent up. The first time the little chap tried it he took the receiver off the hook, as he had seen others do, placed his lips to the transmitter and said: "Hello, Central! I want to speak to papa." "Number, please?" came from Central. "Singular," answered the lad, surprised at the question but proud that his knowledge of the rudiments of grammar enabled him to respond.—Harper's Magazine.

### Her "Foolest" Friend.

When Mrs. Lysander John Appleton is in trouble she sends for her foolest friend. And after she has told of her troubles and sighted holes in her straight-front corset, and soaked three or four handkerchiefs, the foolest friend makes a number of fool suggestions, not one of which is practical or of any use, after which Mrs. Appleton, having sighed and wept to the limit, cheers up "You are so helpful," she says to the foolest friend, and then looks around in her cupboard to give the foolest friend something to eat—Atchison Globe.

### The Simplified Check Book.

This is a true story as stories go. There was once a gilded youth who decided to live the simple life. What did he simplify first? His check book. He hit on a plan by which he would just write a note to the bank explaining the matter and asking them to send him money and then he would send his valet to the bank with the note and his valet would get the money and bring it back to him. In that way he would save himself the trouble of drawing checks.

### A Queer Oversight.

At the time the London Hippodrome was built it was considered the most complete structure of its kind in the world, but at the dress rehearsal it was discovered that no provision had been made to accommodate the large orchestra. For more than a year the musicians had to sit on one side of the dress circle, where a number of boxes were altered for their use.

### Too Literal.

The latest arrival at the Bloomsbury boarding house was not so much annoyed as disappointed. "When," he said to his landlady, "you told me that you would provide me with board"—and here he pushed away his half-eaten steak and helped himself to prunes—"I was not aware that you meant it literally."—London Globe.

### Officers Reelected.

New York, Oct. 25.—All of the officers of the Union Pacific system were reelected, today, at the annual meeting. Maxwell Evarts was named general counsel to succeed Judge R. S. Lovett.

### Degrees in Perfumes.

Peddler (selling a bottle of scent to a cook)—Now, what would you like to smell like, a duchess or just a baroness?—Fliegende Blaetter.

## PEOPLE OF OHIO ARE AWAKENING

### To Business Side of Campaign, Says Harding.

### CANDIDATE TAKES UP THE TARIFF QUESTION

### And Is Greeted with Great Applause at Jackson.

**Big Delegation and Brass Band Turn Out at Oak Hill—Harding Takes Up the Vital Issues of Campaign and Talks of Wages of American Laboring Men—Points Out Protective Policy of Tariff.**

Jackson, O., Oct. 25.—Warren G. Harding has his big guns trained on Cleveland and Cuyahoga county. Though he will not be quoted directly about it, he will fire on the Democratic camps as he has not fired since he began his campaign.

Questioned about Thursday's meeting in Cleveland, he said:

"I believe I will give the people of Cleveland and of Cuyahoga county something to think about in the speech that I will make in Cleveland, Thursday."

Mr. Harding delivered one speech yesterday afternoon and one last evening. Seven thousand persons were fed at a barbecue at Ironton, Lawrence county, yesterday afternoon. Mr. Harding spoke to 5,000 persons from a stand in front of the courthouse. Last evening the opera-house here, with a seating capacity of 1,200, had out the standing room only sign. Senator Dick followed Mr. Harding on the platform.

**Voice Is Hoarse.**

Mr. Harding is very hoarse. For this reason he made his speech last night somewhat brief. On the train in the evening, coming from Ironton to Jackson, he was met by a delegation and a band at Oak Hill.

"I should like to talk to you," said Mr. Harding from the car platform. "But my throat is in such a shape that I must forego the pleasure."

In his speech here last night, Mr. Harding addressed himself to the tariff question and put himself on record in such way as no other speaker in Ohio has done. He took up the question of increased imports under the Payne-Aldrich law. Representative Payne, sponsor for this law in the house, has pointed with pride to these increases. Mr. Harding opposes the Payne notion.

"The tariff bill's most glaring fault no one has touched," said Mr. Harding "Its cheapened duties has invited importation till the balance of trade is momentarily against us. We would not have it so."

**The Business Side.**

"The people of Ohio, of every pursuit, are awakening to the importance of the business side of this campaign," said Mr. Harding. "While Governor Harmon is flaunting the graft scare-crow and Democratic congressional aspirants are appealing to the unrest about high prices, the allied foes of the protective policy are planning an assault on our prosperity that invariably brings a trail of destruction.

"Let Governor Harmon tell the Ohio farmers he would cheapen their products, and ask them to vote approval Let him tell the workingmen of Ohio that he would cheapen factory and mine products, and ask them to approve. One needs be no skilled economist to understand that cheapened prices mean cheapened labor. They are as inseparable as cause and effect.

"Europe manufactures more cheaply because labor's pay is half or less than half the American scale. A dollar a day pay is higher than the European average. We don't want that. Let Democracy flatly say it favors American cheapness on the dollar-a-day wage and ask our industrial forces to vote their approval.

"The Republican party isn't willing to procure European cheapness at the cost of European wage scales. We prefer our higher American capacity to buy. We are concerned with making a mighty industrial force of well-paid producers, who, in turn, mount the plains of cash-bearing consumers with a standard of living the world nowhere matches

**Protective Policy.**

"Three and one-half billions of dollars in savings deposits bear testimonial to the protective policy on the one hand, and a hundred thousand foreigners landing on our shores monthly offer the tribute of the old world and its cheap wages to American opportunity and higher reward for toil.

"Governor Harmon says little on this vital issue on the stump in Ohio, but we all know where he stands. He is a foe of protection of the Grover Cleveland type. He has said he opposed even protection for a reasonable profit. Let Ohio endorse such an advocate in this crucial year and a sensitive business world will show instant fear and attending depression.

"It is worth pondering in this Ohio campaign. Cheapen prices and we will cheapen men Buy of the old world's cheapness and we will paralyze American production. Halt our production and there will be instant reflex in every pay envelope and on every American farm, and on these two pillars rest every edifice of American prosperity and progress.

"We have tried Democracy before and have always come to sorrow and repentance. Let us be guided by experience and vote in appreciation and cling to our higher wage scales, our higher compensation and our higher standard of living. Let's maintain our gratifying American supremacy. No one has pretended the late tariff enactment is ideal, but it has been proved again and again that it has advanced no prices

**Continued Triumphs.**

"It has preserved the highest scale of wages, it has reduced schedules, it has increased revenues Its most glaring fault no one has touched. Its cheapened duties have invited importation until the balance of trade is momentarily against us. Out of our abundance of resources and fertility of genius we Americans must sell more than we buy. In 1907 we sold $500,000,000 more than we bought.

"We must do that again and send the figures mounting higher. If we can't do it under the present law, we must change it. But the Republican party must solve these questions. Democracy is hostile and incapable. Democracy would open our markets to the world. Republicans would retain our matchless market for ourselves and apply our genius and capacity to a conquest of foreign markets for our surplus products.

"In such a program as this will come our continued American triumphs. I want Ohio to stand true to such an inspiring American purpose. I want our American workingmen drawing American wages, our farmers enjoying higher compensation, and our manufacturers and business men enjoying greater prosperity, to join in an irresistible American army to maintain what we have and move hopefully and confidently on to higher American accomplishments."

## MORTALITY RATE AMONG WOMEN

### Census Bureau Gives Out Its Statement.

### TUBERCULOSIS CLAIMS MANY

### Engaged in Mechanical Pursuits, Says Report.

**Between Ages of Twenty-Five and Thirty-Four Years Tuberculosis Is Responsible for 40.6 Per Cent. of Deaths Among Women Who Work in Manufacturing Plants. Percentage Among Dressmakers.**

Washington, Oct. 25.—A statement regarding mortality among women during 1909, issued by the census bureau, today, shows that the highest percentage of deaths from tuberculosis was among women engaged in "mechanical and manufacturing pursuits' between the ages of twenty-five and thirty-four years. Tuberculosis was responsible for 40.6 per cent of the deaths in that class.

The next highest percentage was shown among dressmakers for the same age period, tuberculosis having claimed 40.3 per cent. of all who died. Among teachers 38.7 per cent. of the deaths were caused by tuberculosis; among laundresses thirty-three per cent., and among servants 33.9 per cent.

Of the deaths of women reported, tuberculosis was reported as follows:

From twenty to twenty-four years, 39.8 per cent, from ten to fourteen years, 28.6 per cent; from thirty-five to fourty years, 21.3 per cent., and a rapidly decreasing percentage for the higher age periods.

Of the total number of women who died between the ages of thirty-five and forty-four years, 10.1 per cent were attributed to cancer, and for the same age period 10.5 per cent. were attributed to heart disease.

## ISLAND SWEPT BY TIDAL WAVE

### Two Hundred Lives Reported Lost on Ischia.

### COMMUNICATION VERY DIFFICULT

### Great Damage Done in Village of Cassamiceola.

**Italian Government Rushes Fleet of Warships with Supplies to the Stricken Part of Country—Naples and Surrounding Villages Deluged by Rain Which Carries Lava Down Sides of Old Vesuvius.**

Rome, Oct 25 -- Word of a tidal wave at Cassamicciola, on the island of Ischia, that drowned 200 persons, has been received by the ministry of the interior. Communication with the island has been interrupted and verification of this report is impossible. As a result of this news the government has sent a fleet of warships, consisting of three battleships and four cruisers, with instructions to hurry to the scene of the disaster with all provisions and food available. Troops also have been hurried to the stricken city.

Word comes that it is not likely that there are any Americans among the victims of the disaster.

Later advices indicate that the hotels at Cassamicciola are empty owing to the presence of cholera at Naples, and that the flood damage is confined to the destruction of a few wooden houses which are occupied by peasants. The only American known to have been in the town of late is the painter Robert Hale of St. Paul.

Late dispatches only confirm the great loss of life following the terrific rainfall along the slopes of Vesuvius. It is now stated that the floods resulted in the washing away of thousands of tons of lava and ashes which had accumulated along the crests of the mountain since the last eruption. Floods are reported at Cetara, Amalfi and elsewhere. In the neighborhood of Salerno there have been numerous deaths. Accurate news from Ischia is still awaited, but unverified reports from there indicate that the loss of life in the district has been very heavy. There is a rumor that hundreds of lives have been lost at Cassamicciola.

### College Campaign Opens.

Akron, O., Oct. 25—Buchtel college's campaign for $300,000 opened, Monday night, with a meeting of prominent Akron business and professional men, when first contributions amounting to $15,000 were announced.

## PRESIDENT ON FOREIGN SOIL

**Taft Walks Deck of the President Sarmiento as Guest.**

Washington, Oct. 25.—The president of the United States was technically on "foreign soil" right here in the District of Columbia today. The "soil" was the deck of the training ship, President Sarmiento, of the Argentine-republic, where the executive was a luncheon guest of Captain Enrique Fliess and the Argentine naval cadets.

The luncheon, today, was an elaborate affair, and in addition to the president and officers of the training ship, Secretary of State Knox, acting Secretary of the Navy Winthrop and several diplomats were also present. After a reception was held on board the vessel, where Admiral Garcia, president of the Argentine naval commission, introduced the president to all the cadets.

Meanwhile the band discoursed manufully—"The Star Spangled Banner" and "A Hot Time," the only two real American pieces in their repertoire

### Taft Lauds Winners.

Washington, Oct 25.—President Taft today wrote letters of congratulation to the three winners of the recent marksmanship contest at Camp Perry, Ohio, Sergeant W. A. Fragner, U. S. M. C, winner of the president's match, Sergeant Scott Clark, D company, Second Indiana infantry, who won the national individual match; and Corporal George W Farnham, U. S. M. C, winner of the United States championship for 1910.

In the letters to the two marine corps men, the president expressed his pleasure and pride that two of the championships should have gone to that branch of the service.

### Doubtful Compliment.

At the dinner of a literary club in Chicago two minor poets were heard in conversation. "Harold," said the one, "I've just seen your triolet in The Spread Eagle Magazine. "Ah!" exclaimed the other, a pleased expression coming into his face, and with the air of a man preparing himself against a burst of praise. "Yes," continued the second poet; "and, do you know, I heard a rather neat little compliment passed on it by a young lady of my acquaintance." Harold seemed still more pleased. "May I ask what she said?" he queried. Whereupon the first minor poet gurgled: "Why," said he, "she wanted to know whether I had written it."—Lippincott's.

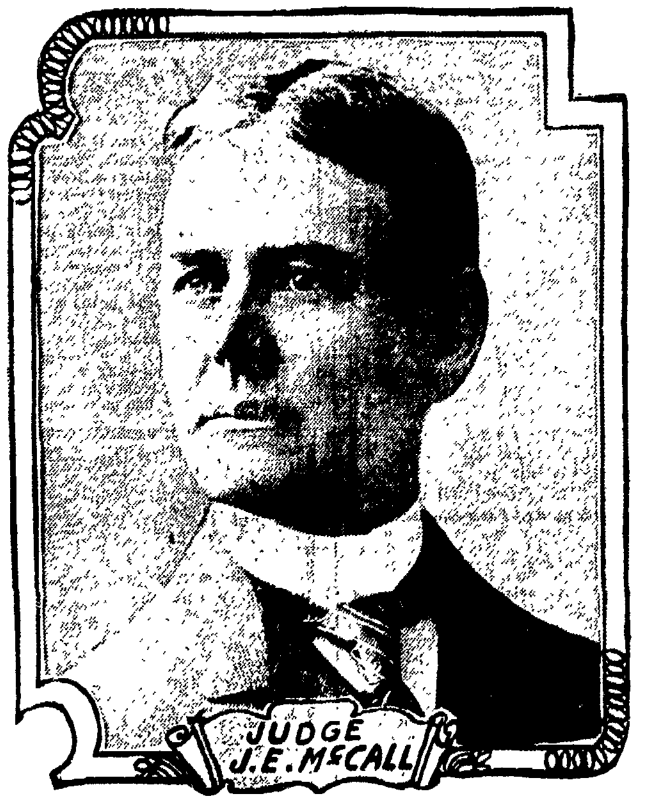
### There's a Limit.

A Harrisburg, Pa., professor says that centipedes are perfectly harmless, and that we should pat them on the back instead of swatting them with a slipper for the good they do in this world of ours. This sounds all right for a short talk on science, but we know enough about human nature to imagine what the professor would do if a centipede jumped from the headboard of his bed and tried to use his face for a merry-go-round in the middle of the night.

### The Philosopher of Folly.

"I've noticed that the successful man never boasts of what he did yesterday, nor brags of what he's going to do tomorrow," says the Philosopher of Folly. "So I've decided that Success never comes any time but Today."

## TENNESSEE JUDGE CAN FINE OIL TRUST IN SUM OF $30,480,000



Memphis, Tenn , Oct. 24.—Judge John E McCall must decide within the next few weeks whether the Standard Oil company is guilty of rebating on 1,528 counts returned by the grand jury. The indictment was returned two years ago, but the attorneys for the oil trust managed to have the case postponed many times. Judge McCall notified the Standard attorneys, October 24, that they must report to his court within a week ready for trial. If the company is found guilty on all the counts it is liable to a fine of $30,480,000.

## BIG LOSS BY FOREST FIRES

### Forest Service Issues Official Estimate.

### DAMAGE WILL RUN INTO THE MILLIONS

### Billions of Feet of Fine Timber Destroyed.

**Heaviest Losses Suffered During the Summer Are in Two Idaho Forests Where 3,000,000,000 Board Feet Are Reported Killed or Destroyed and Over 150,000 Acres Burned Over—Other Figures.**

Washington, Oct. 25.—Declaring that last summer's fires either burned up or killed between one and two per cent. of the total stand of national forest timber of the United States, the officers of the forest service, yesterday, issued the first official estimate of damages. The burned area represents a loss of $15,000,000 or approximately 6,000,000,000 feet of lumber. The area burned over is declared to be not less than 1,250,000 acres.

The heaviest losses were in two Idaho forests, the Coeur d-Alene, where 3,000,000,000 board feet are reported killed or destroyed and over 150,000 acres burned over, the Clearwater where 1,000,000,000 feet was killed or destroyed and 300,000 acres burned over. On the Helena national forest in Montana the loss in timber is believed to have been 500,000,000 feet, on the Cabinet forest 400,000,000 and on the Lolo forest 300,000,000.

Forester Graves believes, however, that there will be found to be considerable areas of living timber with the regions now mapped as entirely burned over.

The 6,000,000,000 feet reported burned represents twelve years' supply from national forests at the present rate of cutting. This is declared enough to keep all our lumber mills busy for two months. The killed timber left standing will be sold at reduced prices and will offer a big bargain to lumber men.

## FIRE BREAKS OUT IN PENITENTIARY

**Officials Believe Fire Mere Plan for an Escape.**

Columbus, O., Oct. 25.—Incendiary work of some prisoners to create confusion, providing a chance for wholesale escapes, is suspected by penitentiary officials to be the origin of a fire at the penitentiary at 6 o'clock, this morning, that entirely destroyed the stamp and bolt works, with a loss of $25,000. When the fire was discovered, most of the prisoners were in the dining-room, but fifteen had preceded them to the works to start the machinery. Some of these fifteen are suspected of having set the building on fire. They were at once marched to their cells by the guards and when those in the dining-room showed unrest, the guards at once took them to their cells.

Prisoners will be kept locked up pending the investigation.

### Conscience Stricken Regularly.

Uncle Sam has acquired a second regular contributor to the conscience fund. On the first of every third month for the past year the treasurer has received a check for $30. It always is accompanied by a brief statement that it is the return of a pension received by an undeserving man.

For many years a man with a tender conscience residing at Annapolis, Md, has regularly turned into the treasury his monthly pension. The name of the man is not known outside of three or four persons. But he has been a regular contributor for many years.

### Egotistic Poet.

There is a story told of a French poet who inquired of a friend and flatterer what he thought of his last work. "I have arrived at the fifteenth canto," he replied with enthusiasm, "and think there is no more beautiful and harmonious in the language." "Pardon me, there is one thing," said the poet. "Ah, perhaps you mean Chateaubriand's 'Atala?'" "Certainly not. I mean my sixteenth canto."

### In the Oyster's Jaws.

A sea gull was seen struggling in the air near the River Taw. When it fell to the ground an oyster was closed on the bill of the bird. Sea gull was suffocated.—Popular Science.

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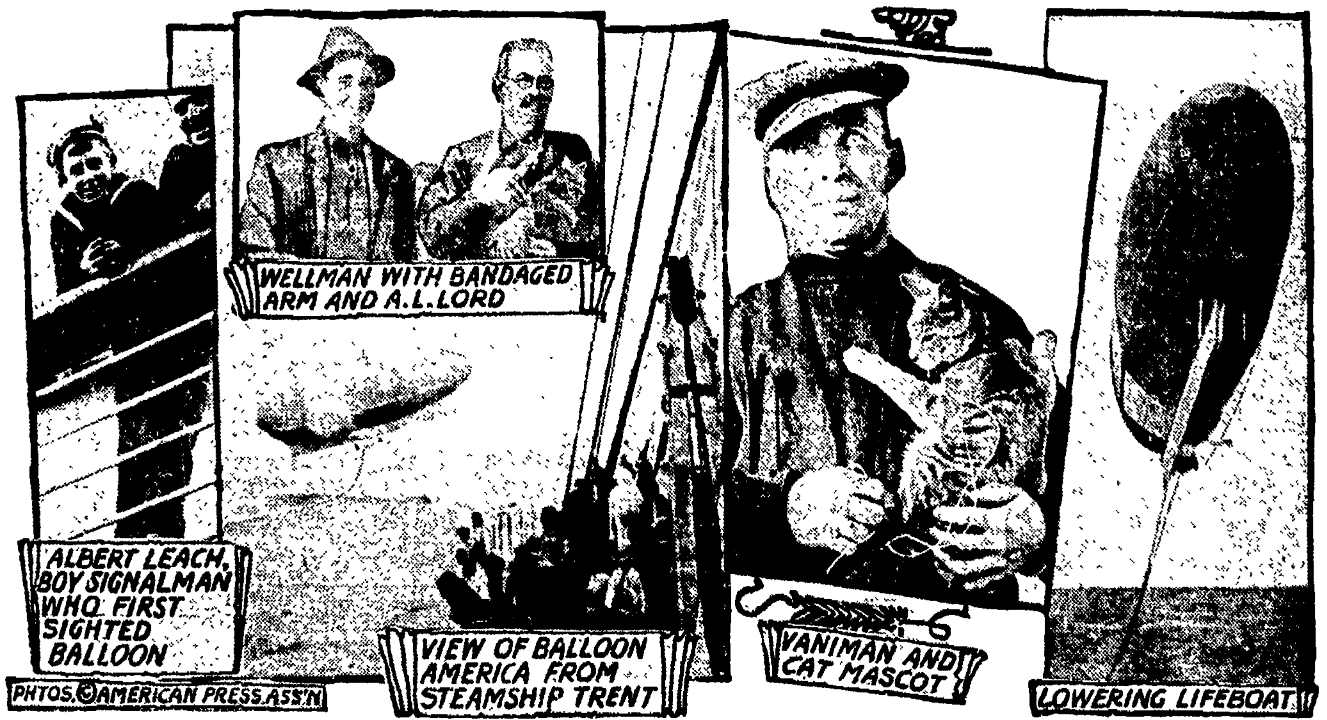
# Views and Incidents In Connection With the Record Breaking Flight of Walter Wellman and Balloon America


ALBERT LEACH, BOY SIGNALMAN WHO FIRST SIGHTED BALLOON
WELLMAN WITH BANDAGED ARM AND A.L. LORD
VIEW OF BALLOON AMERICA FROM STEAMSHIP TRENT
VANIMAN AND CAT MASCOT
LOWERING LIFEBOAT
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These views of the balloon, America, were taken from the deck of the steamship Trent, by passengers, the plates being bought by the American Press association. The pictures of the members of the crew were taken on the arrival of the Trent in New York by staff photographers of the American Press association. It is reported that Vaniman may build a balloon according to his own ideas and make the attempt without Wellman. The backers of Wellman declare he will make another effort also.

# MATTERS TAKEN UP IN COMMON PLEAS COURT

### Judge Daniel Babst Names Three Appraisers.

### WILLIAM MASSIE LOSES CONTENTION

**Court Fails To Find Error in Proceeding—Judgment Is Revived Against Francis M. Drake and Others—Landgrabe Alimony Suit Is Dismissed at Cost of Plaintiff.**

Judge Daniel Babst has appointed John E. Waddell, I. A. Merchant and Frank Schaffner appraisers in the receivership action brought by Carl W. Sawyer and others against the Ohio Sanatorium company.

In the civil action of Charles Hofstitter against Charles H Veach and others, in the common pleas court, judgment by agreement for $100 and costs has been given.

In the action in revivor of William E. Scofield and others against Francis M. Drake and others, judgment has been given in the sum of $797 90, with interest at eight per cent from May 1, 1897, with $22.19 additional interest and original and increased costs.

The alimony suit of Florence Landgrabe against Lester Landgrabe has been dismissed at the cost of the plaintiff

In the action of William Massie against the State of Ohio, in error, no error was found by Judge Babst, judgment being affirmed at the costs of the plaintiff in error, with judgment against him for costs.

In the damage suit for $10,000 brought by John W. Clark as administrator of the estate of John W. Jackson, deceased, against the Chicago & Erie Railway company, Hamilton R. Curry and E. C. Curry, an amended petition has been filed in the common pleas court by DeGolley & DeGolley, attorneys for the plaintiff.

In the civil action of Klein brothers, a partnership, against Frank Sebok and others, a decree of foreclosure of mortgage, as set out in the cross-petition of the Marion County Bank company, was entered and the property ordered sold.

In the damage suit of Charles C Foster against the Houghton-Merkel company and others, the demurrer to the amended petition has been sustained

In the civil action of Fred Turner against Erasmus J Ford and others, the motion of Ford to answer has been sustained on the fourth ground, otherwise overruled.

The demurrer in the defendant's cross-petition has been sustained in the cause of Fred Morrison against G. T Harding.

The motion to secure the costs has been overruled in the civil action of Ethel May Hoy, an infant, by Frank C. Hoy, next best friend, against the Cleveland, Cincinnati, Chicago & St Louis Railway

In the foreclosure proceedings of Charles L. Justice, as receiver of the Marion Manufacturing company, against Fidelia E. Sellers and others the demurrer to the petition has been overruled.

In the civil action brought by Samuel N Abel and others against Henry N Oberlander, the motion to quash has been sustained

The motion to secure the costs in the proceedings of George Fuchs, against Herman Kalkbrenner has been sustained and the plaintiff ordered to secure the costs by November 11.

The demurrer to the petition has been overruled in the attachment proceedings brought by the International Harvester company of America, a corporation, against George W. Parish and Barbara Parwise the sale will stand as confirmed.

In the partition suit of Harley U. Landes against William E. Landes, the sale has been set aside upon the *giving of a bond within* ten days to secure the increased costs and interest and a new sale ordered. Otherwise the sale will stand as confirmed.

The motion to petition on the third ground was sustained in the civil action of Jane Peeling, as administratrix, against the Cleveland, Cincinnati, Chicago & St. Louis Railway.

In the cause of Roy Frye against John J. Lewis and others, the motion to petition has been sustained and leave granted to file amended petition by November 11.

Through his attorney, L. E. Myers, William James Ward, defendant in the divorce petition filed by Nora E Ward, filed an answer in the common pleas court, Saturday afternoon, making a general denial and praying for the dismissal of the petition

A petition in error was filed in the common pleas court, Monday, in the old case of David Washam against the State of Ohio.

Beaver hats with enormous rosettes of tulle are worn.

**C. H. KELLAR.**
The Republicans of the County are Seeking To Elect Mr. Kellar County Recorder.

# FINDS THE COMPANY GUILTY OF NEGLIGENCE

### Coroner J. C. Rauth Reports as to Harpster Wreck.

### FINDINGS FILED TUESDAY AFTERNOON

**Result of Investigation as to the Deaths of Mrs. Nancy Cook, Mrs. J. F. Anderson and David Thompson—Spikes Lifted Easily by Hand from Rotten Ties.**

Coroner J. C. Rauth, of Wyandot county, who has been investigating as to the cause of the wreck on the Hocking Valley railway near Harpster, last Thursday, returned his findings to the clerk of the court of common pleas at Upper Sandusky Tuesday afternoon Tuesday

The findings apply to the deaths of Mrs. Nancy Cook, Mrs. J. F. Anderson and David Thompson, the first two named being killed almost instantly in the wreck, and the third dying during the night following the accident at the Dr. C. E. Sawyer sanitorium

The *finding of the coroner* reads in part as follows

"After having heard the evidence and examined the bodies and considered the facts and circumstances, I do hereby find that the said decedents came to their deaths through an accident on the Hocking Valley railway, said accident having been caused through the negligence on the part of the Hocking Valley Railway company in not keeping its roadbed in proper condition.

"The evidence facts and circumstances tend to show that ties at and in the vicinity of where the accident occurred were in such a state of decomposition that spikes could be removed from ties with but little more exertion than enough to raise the weight of the spike, also that an engine weighing more than ten tons was pulling the train at *the time of the accident* when a much smaller engine would have been dangerous on said track."

As to the condition of the various victims of the wreck at the Dr. C. E. Sawyer sanatorium, all are doing as well as could be expected, and those dangerously injured have good prospects of recovery.

When Julia Marlowe returned lately from Europe she declared over $10,000 worth of costumes

It is believed that the rubber lands of Malacca are worth $29,000,000

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There is much to suggest; but some of the new things received are especially attractive.

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### On Fools.

**I will confess a truth to thee, reader.** I love a fool—as naturally as if I were of kith and kin to him When a child, with childlike apprehensions, that dived not below the surface of the matter, I read those parables—not guessing at their involved wisdom—I had more yearning toward that simple architect that built his house upon the sand than I entertained for his more cautious neighbor I grudged at the hard censure pronounced upon the quiet soul that kept his talent and—prizing their simplicity beyond the more provident, and, to my apprehension, somewhat unfeminine wariness, of their competitors— I felt a kindliness that almost amounted to a tendre for those five thoughtless virgins. I have never made an acquaintance since that lasted, or a friendship *that answered* with any that had not some tincture of the absurd in their characters I venerate an honest obliquity of understanding.—Charles Lamb.

### Wonder of Nature.

During the course of a voyage recently, *when midway* between Marseilles and the Strait of Bonifacio, a "green flash" was seen at sunset. The sky was perfectly clear after a cloudless day, with little wind. As the sun approached the horizon the line 'twixt sea and sky for about forty-five degrees each side of the sun became suffused with a rich dull rose pink and the waves reflected a marvelous ruby shade on their surfaces facing the sunset, while the other faces were an opalescent blue or green from the upper sky. The two colors flashed and changed in a marvelous way. Such intensity of coloring had never been seen by those on board The sun set clean into the sea and about ten or less seconds after it had disappeared a bright green single flash, just like a railway signal lamp, but brighter far, met our view and rewarded our watching for it—Symon's Meteorological Magazine.

### Torpedo Boat Without Funnels.

It is stated from Italy that one of the construction companies of that country has succeeded in building a successful torpedo boat without funnel. The products of combustion are discharged from the vessel by the means of electric ventilators, no smoke whatever being shown. The operation of getting up steam was conducted on the trial trip quite as rapidly as under ordinary circumstances

### Wanted Information.

*A couple of zealous anglers* were fishing for the first time in a sheet of water rented for the purpose, when one of them, through carelessness, fell in His friend, after great exertion, brought him to land, but it was a long time before he recovered consciousness No sooner had he opened his eyes, however, than the other asked him: "Tell me, did you see a lot of fish?"

### The "Submerged Tenth."

The experience of all schemes for the relief of distress due to unemployment clearly proved that the great majority of the unemployed, or at least those who sought relief from distress, were very markedly inferior both as regards their industrial capacity and their physical and moral qualifications to the average employed workmen in the same trades.

In the suburbs of Singapore city a considerable area of swamp land has been drained and converted into a nursery for Para rubber plants, which are sold at a good profit to the planters on the island.

A girl understands men so well because she pretends not to

CHARLES C. FISHER
Attorney-at-Law,
Bennett Building.

# Home Course In Tree Preservation

By JOHN DAVEY.
Father of Tree Surgery.

## III.—The Crime of Tree Butchery.

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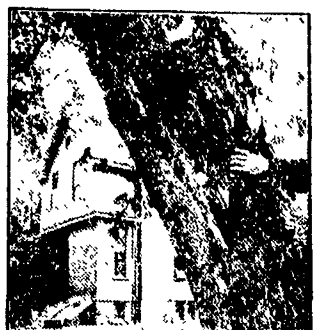
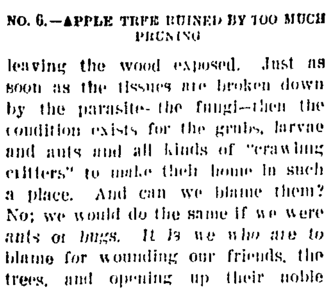
IT is utterly impossible for the human mind to form even an opinion of the destruction of property by the "tree butcher." In many places the real estate values are 50 per cent less than what they might have been with good trees. As a result of the hacking and slashing the trees are not living a fifth of their natural life. An elm or maple should stand intact for 300 years. Barring the violence of tornadoes and such agencies, apple trees should be in a good state of bearing at 200 years, the pear at 300 *and the oak at 1,000.* But while the tree butcher is at large this same premature death will be continued.



NO. 5.—APPLE TREE DYING FROM CUTTING OFF BRANCHES.

For ten years I have been before the public as a writer and lecturer, and though the press is doing a noble work yet I see but one hope and that is to get the children to comprehend "tree life." I will send some reading matter free to parents who wish to have their children informed. But here is a phase which the parent can begin with. If you have not a little pocket microscope get one. Take different sticks and cut off with a sharp knife, then let the child look through the "scope," and the eye will be delighted to see the little cells opened up and appearing much like a honeycomb. These little cells communicate with one another, and when the water falls on them they are prepared to receive the spores of the various fungi. The fungi are a vegetable growth, and their mycelium or what answers to roots, penetrate the cell tissues, break them down and produce what we call "rot" or "decay." Millions of trees in forms and stages of disease can be found rapidly approaching death, as seen in No 5 This is an apple tree, only about forty years old.

Or look at illustration No. 6, an apple tree about the same age In both these cases the trouble arose from some one cutting off branches and leaving the wood exposed. Just as soon as the tissues are broken down by the parasite- the fungi—then the condition exists for the grubs, larvae and ants and all kinds of "crawling critters" to make their home in such a place. And can we blame them? No; we would do the same if we were *ants or bugs. It is we who are to* blame for wounding our friends, the trees, and opening up their noble bodies to decay and disease. See how the branch to the right in illustration No 6 has been eaten away by insects This is one of a whole orchard of apple trees in Sandusky, O., that went to pieces in a sleet storm about fifteen months ago—an orchard of fine varieties of apples. There is an element of sadness about this, but the part that appeals to most people is the "dollar side." From a business standpoint, what a folly to allow ignorant men to *reduce real estate values of property* because they know enough to run a saw or wield an ax!



NO. 6.—APPLE TREE RUINED BY TOO MUCH PRUNING

This is not, as a rule, maliciously done. It is often accomplished by good meaning people Fifteen years ago I knew a good, honest Dutchman who "trimmed" an apple orchard for the "firewood" A year ago it cost $2,000 to repair the damage, and certainly the trees are vastly inferior to what they would have been had they not had their noble boles and branches hollowed by disease.

I call special attention to this phase *of the subject and urge all parents to* **get the children interested in structural botany.**

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South—5.15 a. m.; 7:20 a. m.; *1:33 p. m.; 7 20 p. m.; 10:22 a. m.
*Daily except Sunday.

### BIG FOUR

Eastbound—9:25 a. m.; 12:22 noon; 7:10 p. m., 11:10 p. m.; *5:27 p. m.
Westbound—5.53 a. m.; 10:05 a. m.; 1:55 p. m.; 7:30 p. m.; 4:27 p. m.
*Daily except Sunday.

### CHICAGO & ERIE

West—10.25 a. m.; 12.05 a. m.; *‡5:15 p. m.; *7:10 a. m.
East—5 35 a. m.; †9.55 a. m.; *5:15 p. m.; 5.19 p. m.
*Daily except Sunday.
†Runs to Marion only.
‡Runs to Ohio City only.

### ERIE

Southwest—10.27 a. m.; 5:30 p. m.; 1.25 a. m.
East—5:43 a. m.; 12:53 p. m.; 11:45 p. m.; 5:45 p. m.

### PENNSYLVANIA

Northbound—a7:42 a. m.; *12:23 p. m.; *6:57 p. m.; †8:40 p. m.; ‡8:02 a. m.
Southbound—a10:13 a. m.; *3:33 p. m.; a7 56 p. m.; ‡8:40 p. m.
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Nearly one-fifth of the area of France is forest land,

# W. H. M'LAUGHLIN IS VISITOR IN CITY

## Candidate for Congress Calls on His Friends Here

## IS FARMER HAVING PRACTICAL IDEAS

**Straightforward Manner Commands the Confidence of Those He Meets—A Recent Address Delivered at Fremont Gives an Outline of His Position**

W. H. McLaughlin the Republican candidate for congress in this district was the guest of Marion [illegible] Monday and in addition to [renewing] old acquaintances formed [a] few new friendships.

Mr McLaughlin will spend the [illegible] week in Marion and Crawford counties looking after his political [illegible]. Incidentally he states that [he is] making a special effort to meet [the] farmer [illegible] practical [illegible] and [illegible] to believe [illegible] voting. He [illegible]

[illegible]

The [illegible] candidate is an [illegible] the kind [illegible] and farmer and personality [illegible] and confidence.

Mr McLaughlin was one of the [illegible] at a recent meeting in Fremont. In referring to the meeting the Fremont [News] says:

Mr McLaughlin followed Mr [illegible] and dwelt entirely on [the tariff] question.

[illegible] the right to [illegible] the congressional candidates [illegible] two great parties [illegible] but when [illegible] principle [illegible] the [illegible] Republican [illegible] protective tariff [illegible] protects the [illegible] forget the [illegible] tariff has been [illegible] United States [illegible]

[illegible] McLaughlin [illegible] high prices [illegible] which does not [illegible] with the foodstuff [illegible] dissatisfied. Labor is dissatisfied because [illegible] but they want [illegible] dissatisfied because they have to pay big wages for [help]. [illegible] the Democrats come [illegible] and [illegible] with us and we [will do] away with the high tariff [and] you will be able to get the things you want cheap. With the removal of the high tariff, the laboring men will sell his labor cheap the farmer will sell his crops cheap and so on down the line.

Then McLaughlin dwelt at considerable length on the time when Grover Cleveland was in office and free trade was advocated. He described minutely the low prices paid [for] wheat, oats and other crops. He told of Coxey's army and said [illegible] four years of those times [illegible] the laboring man [on] the same scale with laborers of foreign countries. The speaker [told] of his travels through the Orient and Europe and explained conditions of the laboring men [illegible] he visited and ended [by] saying Europe is fifty years [behind] times and the people of that [country] [illegible] with free [trade] [illegible] has made the [United States] what it is today.

[illegible] want to put the labor[ing men] of this country on the same [level] with those of foreign countries.

### Contract Let

[illegible] the [illegible] 1020 [illegible] commissioners Saturday to [illegible]

[illegible] no law—not even [illegible]

[illegible] attempting to do some people [illegible] you [illegible] annoy them.

**GEORGE B KNAPP**

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# WASHINGTON TO BE SCENE OF SOCIAL WAR WITH MANY CLAIMANTS FOR LEADERSHIP

Washington Oct 21—The palatial homes of Washington's winter colony are being opened and all indications point to the most brilliant of all seasons. Although the state dinners will not begin until December there will be a series of delightful little exclusive affairs given by Mrs Taft. It is understood that luncheons and teas will be given two or three times a week to Mrs Taft's [illegible] while [illegible] parties and musicales will add further gayety. The debutantes will all be present early in order to enjoy the full Taft program and Mrs Taft it is said is determined to make the first year of her daughter in society a [gala] one. The race for social leadership is to be an interesting one. Mrs Larz Anderson, Mrs Peter Goelet Gerry, Mrs Henry Clews, Jr, [and] Mrs Perry Belmont are all striving to let the mantel of social leader rest on their shoulders.

[illegible] is making [illegible] Rev Fran[cis] [illegible] of Galion. Rev Raphael [illegible] various points. While [illegible] and Rev [illegible] Crawley of Co[illegible] will be entertained at dinner [illegible] and Rev James Ryan of [illegible] at the home of Mr and Mrs [illegible] M J Sullivan. [illegible] Special music will be given during [illegible]

Those [accompanying] the archbishop [illegible] the service Wednesday evening [illegible] party [illegible] and the church will be beautifully [illegible] archbishop Rev [illegible] fully decorated.

## JOHN H BENDER SELLS HIS HORSES

**The Animals Attract Great Deal of Attention**

John H Bender of Pleasant township has sold nine of his finest draft horses to Judd Schenck the local buyer for the Stein Horse company of New York. The horses were seen in Marion Monday and attracted quite a crowd and by many were pronounced the finest draft horses ever seen on the streets of Marion.

The horses were of a number exhibited by Mr Bender at the recent Marion County Fair and included the winners of many premiums. One horse [illegible] which won first premium in the [illegible] and [illegible] brought $1,000. It is pronounced by good judges to be the best draft horse ever sold in this county. The animal is four years old and weighs [illegible] 100 pounds. A [illegible] weighing 1,[illegible]00 pounds and three years old sold for [illegible]. The other six horses brought high prices.

## WOMAN BREAKS BARS TO ESCAPE

**Uses Bed Slat to Gain Liberty from Galion Jail**

Galion O Oct [illegible]—Mrs May Dixon imprisoned on the charge of larceny made her escape from the female department of the city prison. She took a slat from her bed and pried open the iron bars of the cell window then jumped fifteen feet to the ground and escaped without being noticed.

The woman came here several weeks ago and was employed as housemaid by various families. She was arrested for stealing a gold watch from a Lutheran house.

The police now suspect she is connected with an organized gang which has been committing a number of [illegible] in this locality recently.

### Brought to Hospital

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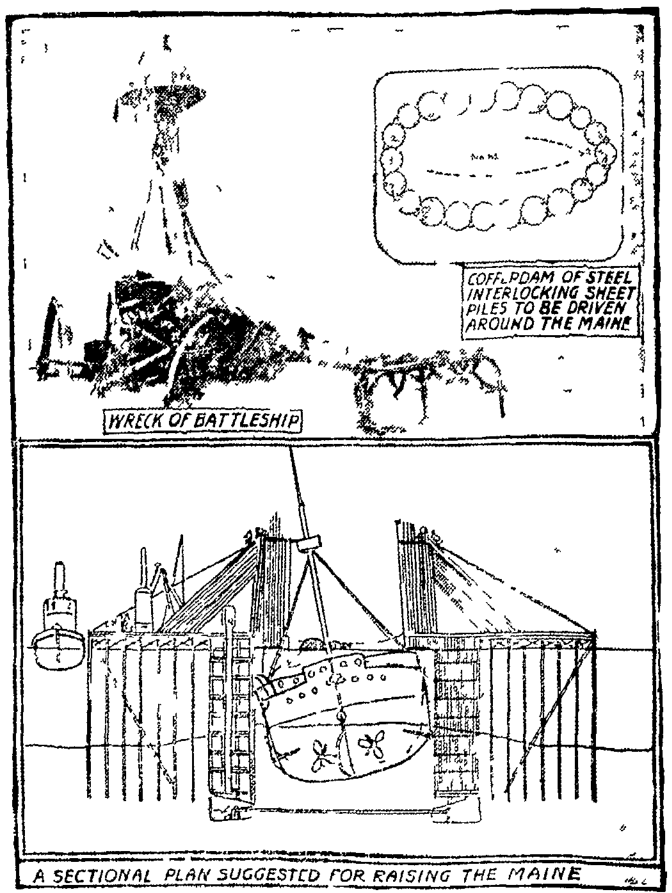
A thick head incubates many thin ideas.

# ENGINEERS AT ODDS OVER PLAN FOR RAISING MAINE



COFFERDAM OF STEEL INTERLOCKING SHEET PILES TO BE DRIVEN AROUND THE MAINE
WRECK OF BATTLESHIP

A SECTIONAL PLAN SUGGESTED FOR RAISING THE MAINE

[New] York Oct 21—Details of the plan [illegible] by the army [engi]neers for the work of raising the wreck of the battleship Maine are [illegible] great a discussion [illegible] about [illegible] the [illegible] of the [illegible] for the Panama Isthmus. It [illegible] known [illegible] that the [illegible] method of [illegible] by [illegible] the plan was [illegible] the engineers [illegible] When [illegible] the firmness or softness of the [illegible] of the entire situation for if it is soft and if the softness extends to any considerable depth there will be engineers to say that the cofferdam idea is impracticable for the reason that the dam would have to be sunk too deep for its sides to resist the lateral pressure and moreover that it would be impossible to keep it free of water by reason of the great pressure under and around the base.

# THE DEUTSCHER BUND GIVES FINE CONCERT

## The Program Pleases the Lovers of Music

## ORCHESTRA COMPOSED OF LOCAL MUSICIANS

**Mrs C. L. Allen, Miss Mary Dennison Gailey and Signor Muscat Are the Soloists—A Review of the Program Which Is Given in the Deutscher Bund Hall**

The concert given by the Maennerchor of the Marion Deutscher Bund at the hall in the Y. M. C. A. building Monday evening was very well attended and an excellent program was rendered. The chorus was assisted by Mrs C. L. Allen, Miss Mary Dennison Gailey and Signor Muscat soloists and by the Maennerchor of the Deutsche [illegible] of Bucyrus and an orchestra composed of local musicians.

The first number on the program was a march "Unser Kaiser Friedrich" [illegible] Von Blon by an eighteen piece grand orchestra in charge of [illegible] B McNeal. This was followed by an overture "Nebuchadnezzar" Verdi by the orchestra after which the Maennerchor composed of the Bucyrus Deutsches Gesellschaft and the local Deutscher Bund chorus [illegible] [illegible] Dr Robert [illegible] Mendelssohn's [illegible] Abschied.

Mrs C. L. Allen sang beautiful [illegible] selections: "The Secret," Scott; "An April Girl," [illegible] and [illegible] "Wie Eine Blume" [illegible]. The orchestra then gave a Serenade by Drigo and the chorus sang "Das Deutsche Lied" by Kalliwoda.

Pleasing numbers on the program were two violin solos rendered by Miss Mary Dennison Gailey who played "Lieta Novella" Brandelli and Hungarian Dance Brahms [illegible].

[illegible] the orchestra [illegible] Summer Widowers [illegible] McNeal and [illegible] by [illegible] the chorus sang [illegible]

Signor Muscat sang well "Queen of the Earth" by Pinsuti and the [illegible] closed the program with [illegible] of the [illegible] by [illegible].

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**THE LODGE WORLD.**

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Considerable routine business was transacted at a largely attended meeting of Canby Temple No 152 Pythian Sisters Monday evening. Mrs Frank Harmon delegate to the district convention at Richwood last Tuesday submitted her report which was well received. At the conclusion of the business session the winners in the recent membership contest were banquetted by the losing side. The hour of meeting was changed to 7 o'clock.

Arrangements were made for a social and dance for the ladies of the order to follow the next meeting which will be held in two weeks.

Only the routine business was transacted at a meeting of Kosciusko Lodge No [illegible] I. O. O. F. Monday evening.

### Electrical Fires

A New England electrical engineer discussed the important subject of the extinguishment of electrical fires which he rightly says often call for judgment and prompt action. He warns operators against employing the stream from an extinguisher upon live apparatus. In such cases the first precaution being to shut off the current. But there are cases where it is of first importance to fight the fire. A liberal supply of sand and dry powder is recommended and there have been times when a wet canvas tarpaulin has been used with effect in smothering an incipient blaze.

### For Cleaning Windows

For cleaning windows and mirrors, there are several proprietary articles on the market, but a little oxalic or kerosene and a little thin starch put over the glass and allowed to dry will give excellent results when rubbed off and polished with a newspaper or cloth that leaves no lint. In very cold weather a little alcohol on a cloth is effectual.—Harper's Bazar.

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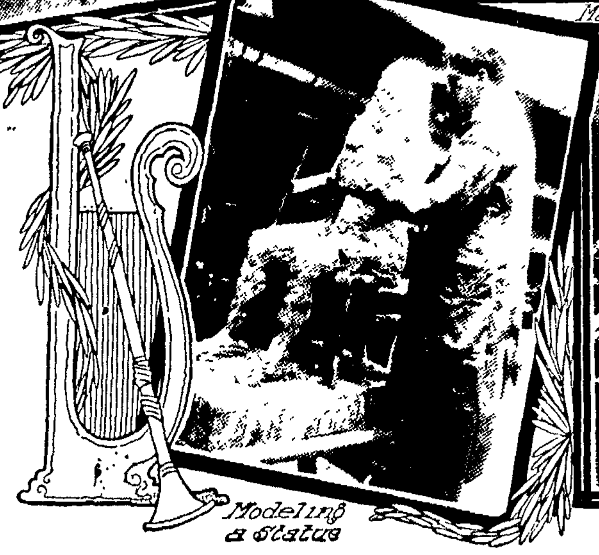
# 'PREPARING for GRAND OPERA

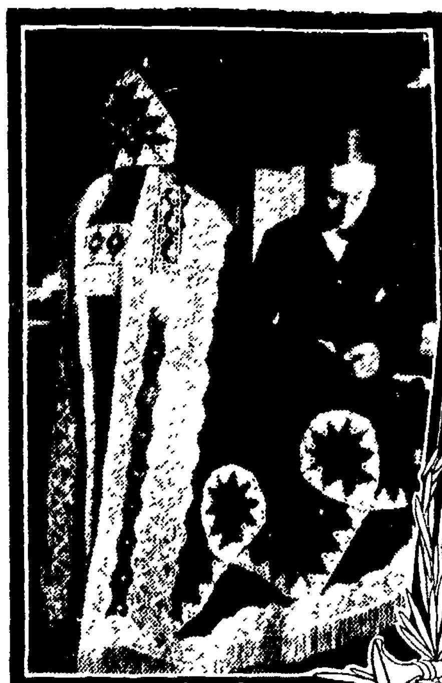
by Waldon Fawcett

Decorating the Insignia for the Grand Opera "Aida"

Manufacturing Properties


Modeling a Statue

Scene Painting


Putting the Finishing Touches to One of the Gorgeous Robes for "Tosca"

Preparing the Scenery

THE early part of November will witness the inauguration of what will unquestionably prove the most important season of grand opera ever given in America and in point of expenditure the most elaborate festival of operatic music ever attempted anywhere in the world No longer will grand opera as a regular institution be confined to New York city Thanks to the formation of the new so-called "Grand Opera Trust"—an expansion of the interests that center at the famous Metropolitan Opera House—four American cities instead of one, will boast their own temples of grand opera In New York Chicago Philadelphia and Boston the coming winter and spring will see regularly established grand opera companies appearing as resident organizations in their own opera houses—great buildings provided for the express purpose and representing an investment of millions of dollars

While the newspapers have been filled with cablegrams from Europe telling of the plans for one phase of this gigantic grand opera undertaking—namely, the engaging of the world's most famous singers at salaries more fabulous than ever—the public has heard little of other and yet more stupendous preparations. Reference is made to the preparations for the mounting of the operas to be given. This is a branch of the "inner workings" of grand opera to which even the patrons of the opera houses seldom give a thought. And yet it necessitates the services of hundreds of artists and artisans and calls for an expenditure of money that in the aggregate compares to no disadvantage with the wealth that is paid over every season to the fortunate golden throated singers.

No less than 20 different operas will probably be given this season at each of the great opera houses in the United States, including the French opera in New Orleans, and to provide the necessary investure of scenery, costumes, properties, lighting apparatus and other necessary equipment for these music dramas involves a herculean undertaking. [illegible] of men and women started work upon the material for these settings almost as soon as the last season of opera closed last spring and they have been busy upon the task ever since, even working night and day, in some instances, to get out the needed embellishments for the make-believe world behind the footlights. In arranging the preliminaries for a pretentious season of grand opera it is usually found that new scenery, costumes, etc, must be provided even where there is to be a revival of an opera previously presented. The opera going public that pays $6 for a seat or $100 for a private box is very critical and is not satisfied to have old scenery "touched up" and last year's costumes resurrected.

What has rendered especially exacting the task of paving the way for the 1910-11 season of grand opera in America is that this winter is to see in the United States the first production anywhere in the world of several brand new grand operas, including the latest and most important works of the two leading Italian composers. Now a "first production on any stage" means that the scene painters and costumers and all other operatic outfitters must originate They can't have the benefit of any hints from former productions or object lessons afforded by European productions that antedate the American premier. Therefore the powers that be behind the scenes at our great opera house have this year to a greater extent than ever before been thrown upon their own resources.

Just here, too, it may be pointed out in providing the local color for a grand opera production far greater attention has to be paid to historical and geographical accuracy than is the case with the average play. Take, for instance, the case of Verdi's famous Egyptian opera, "Aida," which may be cited as a representative example of requirements Conscientious stage outfitters would not think of attempting to mount this masterpiece without weeks of preparatory study The scenic artists have to gain a thorough knowledge of the architecture of the period, the mural decorations, etc; the costumers must familiarize themselves with the fashions of the prescribed period in the land on the Nile; the electricians must learn from books if not at first hand the characteristics of the elusive atmospheric effects of the African paradise, particularly with reference to sunrise and sunset illumination, and so on through the whole list of contributors to the perfection of operatic ensemble.

The most important requirement of a monster grand opera stage is larger scenery—and the scenery is the one behind-the stage product to which the audiences out in front do give a serious thought now and then. The handling of giant scenery is not such a problem as might be surmised, for the stage of your up to date opera house is constructed in sections, any or all of which may be raised or lowered with rapidity and in perfect silence. This makes it possible to construct any given "set" complete days in advance of a production, and to leave it in such position in the basement that it will be in nobody's way and yet when wanted can be quickly elevated into position on the stage and as quickly dropped back into oblivion when it has served its purpose The enormous height of the grand opera houses also facilitates the handling, lifting and storage aloft of the huge "drops," the name applied to huge expanses of painted canvas which, instead of being stretched on frames, are hung as curtains and one of which "drops" forms the background for every stage setting.

Where the herculean stature of grand opera production does entail no end of extra work is in the scene painting. An idea of the proportions of the pictures that must be painted by the opera house artists may be formed from the fact that the "drop" used in the opera of "Madame Butterfly," and which shows the harbor of Nagasaki, Japan, measures 2,700 square feet. The much-admired palace scene in "Aida" is 66 feet long and 36 feet wide, while one of the scenes in "Cavalleria Rusticana" embraces 3,200 square feet of canvas.

There are two different "schools" or two different methods of scene painting employed in the great studios which have been established by the multimillionaires who "back" grand opera in order that there shall always be ready to hand an ample source of scenic supply. Under one plan the scenic artists, with their human helpers and great arrays of paint pots, stand on what is known as a "scene painting bridge." This bridge, with a huge expanse of canvas on either side of it, presents at first glance merely the impression of a long, narrow room, but upon closer inspection it may be seen that the floor is in reality a bridge with supports only at the ends and on either side of the narrow platform one may look, as from a precipice, down into an abyss into which the expanse of canvas is lowered at will as the artists complete one section of the surface to be painted and are ready to apply their brushes to the succeeding clean space.

Under the other method of procedure scenery is painted "on the flat." That is the expanse of canvas to be decorated instead of being suspended, in readily adjustable form before a midair bridge is stretched on the floor of a studio, a floor upward of 200 feet in length, and the artist literally walks over his canvas. Whichever method be employed for the actual painting of the scenery there are numerous preliminaries, and these are the same in both cases. First, the artists make a water color sketch of each projected "drop," and in order to ascertain the ultimate effect of a complete "set" they make miniature models—complete as to "wings" and all—which when put in place on a tiny stage look for all the world like the toy theaters that delight children at Christmas time but which in this case have the practical advantage that they give the scenic artists practical foresight as to color schemes, detail arrangements, etc.

Any woman would be interested could she have a peep into the costume and wardrobe department of a grand opera house. Here are high salaried French designers, tailors, fitters, seamstresses and all the other functionaries of a dressmaking establishment of the first magnitude Thousands of costumes are made every year, some of them costing hundreds of dollars apiece and other thousands of costumes are altered and repaired Here, as in the other departments of the workaday world beyond the scenes thought and study must supplement manual labor. The costume designers have to thoroughly familiarize themselves with the costumes worn in the various periods of the world's history involved in the operas which they are mounting, and at the same time they must keep in touch with the latest developments of current fashion in order to present the newest thing in toilettes in operas the scenes of which are laid in the present day Furthermore, the grand opera costumers must know something of heraldry; of the costumes and insignia of ancient and modern royalty and of the Roman Church; of the significance of the decorations worn by the nobility and of the correct details of the uniforms of the military and naval officers of all the nations on the globe.

An up-to date cleaning establishment is an important adjunct of the costume or wardrobe department and the opera house has its own expert shoemaker who fashions not only the commonplace footgear of this prosaic age, but all the novelties from silken boots to bejeweled slippers that made dress picturesque in former periods of the world's history Yet another marvel of the industrial city within the grand opera house is the electrical department. There are more than 5,000 incandescent lights and 50 arc lights on the stage of the modern home of grand opera, and the electricians must not only keep these in condition and arrange them as needed in the operatic settings, but they must evolve in their workshops near the stage the mechanism for all the fantastic effects in lighting which for the opera goer simulate moonlight, dawn, sunset, the lightning's glare, and all the other eccentricities of nature's illumination. Controlling these myriad lights is a model switchboard. The one beneath the stage of the Boston Opera House is accounted the finest in the world and cost $26,000.

As many as forty men are employed during the busy season in the "property" department of a grand opera house. This is to many of the privileged persons who get an occasional peep behind the screens, the most interesting of the five main departments or divisions which are responsible for creative work in mounting grand operas. It is the property department which supplies through its own manufacture all the tables and chairs and royal thrones that enrich the stage on opera nights; the spears and swords and shields that are carried by operatic soldiery; the make-believe statuary that graces painted parks; the chariots and carriages of the mighty; the artificial flowers bestowed by ardent operatic lovers and, in short, the ten thousand and one little things and big which go to make for a perfectly appointed series of stage pictures. The last day I visited an operatic "property" department they were making the "calf of gold" for "Faust." All such figures are made of papier mache and then decorated with gold leaf or other coating. In order that statuary, etc, may be of true artistic caliber the opera house employs its own sculptor, who, modeling in clay, does quite as creditable work as many of the men whose work is perpetuated in bronze The property department is also charged with the construction of those helpful instruments that reproduce the sound of the wind, the rain, the clatter of horses hoofs, the roll of musketry, and the distant clash of arms.

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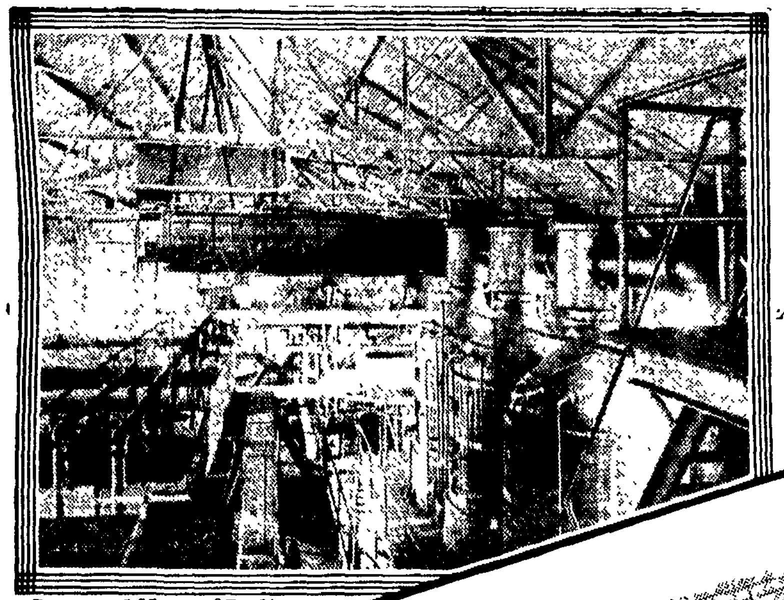
# BEET SUGAR

by Forbes Lindsay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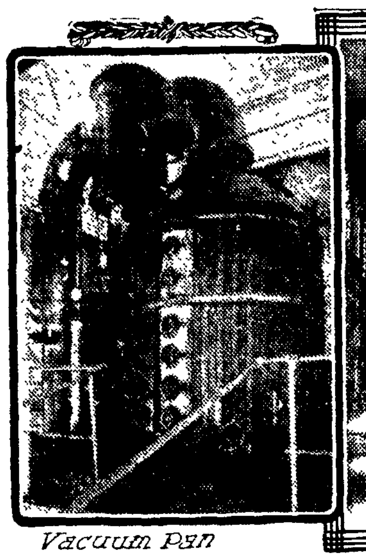
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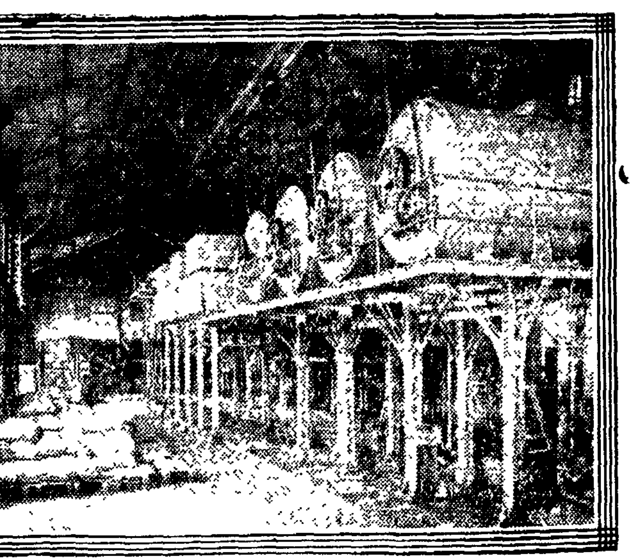
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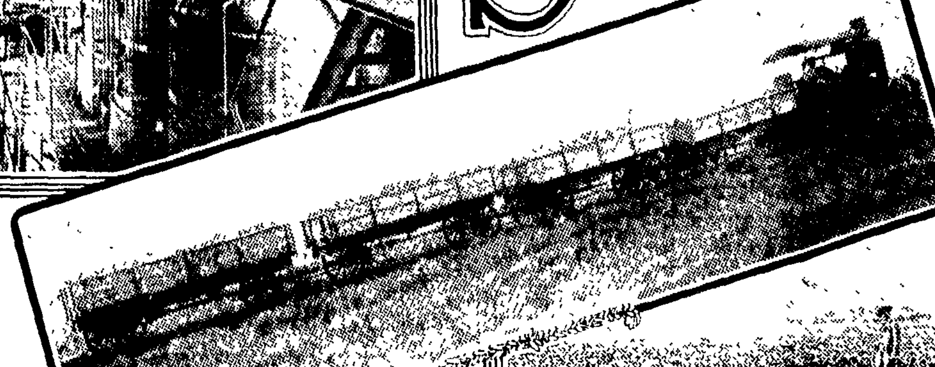

Modern Way of Getting Beets to Factory

Forty Acres of Beets

THE yearly consumption of sugar in the world is upward of 32,000,000,000 pounds This enormous quantity is used by a population of 1,522,900,000 The distribution is very far from even however, some countries accounting for next to none of it, while in several others the average exceeds 50 pounds for every inhabitant. Strangely enough some of the oldest peoples, to whom manufactured sugar has been known since time immemorial, are only now beginning to develop a sweet tooth This may be said of the Chinese and the various races of the Philippine Archipelago

The rapid growth in population naturally accounts for a constant expansion in the consumption of sugar but this is greatly enhanced by the increase in individual use For instance, in the United States the per capita consumption has risen eight pounds over what it was a few years ago We dispose of 80 pounds annually for every soul in our population while 20 years ago the average was little more than 50 pounds Only in Great Britain are figures higher There they rise to 100 pounds Denmark comes next with 75 pounds, then Switzerland with about 60 pounds Thrifty Germany, which produces the largest beet crop in the world, uses comparatively little sugar itself Its per capita consumption is 42 pounds, being about the same as Holland's Italy Rumania, Bulgaria and Servia each consume less than 10 pounds per head of their population

Sugar in some form has been used by the inhabitants of the globe since the earliest times The chief source of supply was honey until the fifteenth century before Christ The value of cultivating the wild sugar cane was discovered about that time in India For hundreds of years only the raw juice was expressed, until about 700 B C. the employment of fire in concentrating it came into practice. From India the art spread rapidly among all ancient nations, but did not reach Western Europe for several centuries Columbus carried sugar cane from the Canary Islands to the West Indies, whence it extended to the mainland, and thus encircled the earth after a progress that occupied 3 000 years.

Within 100 years after the introduction of sugar into the New World the production therein became so large that the importers of Europe turned to it for their supply, which had formerly been obtained mainly from the East. Egypt, Spain and Italy, large producers of sugar at that time were unable to compete with the American output and soon ceased to cultivate sugar commercially. Free land and slave labor enabled the planters of the West Indies to grow cane in successful competition with any part of the world

Today the industry is carried on under the most diversified conditions. In many countries, such as India, Malaya and the Philippines, cane is raised and sugar manufactured in the crudest manner and by the cheapest labor. Of course, the product is low grade and the percentage of extraction small In other countries, such as Cuba and Hawaii, the most improved machinery is used, skilled and high priced labor employed

The competition between cane producing countries is so close that an advantage gained by one will frequently destroy the industry in another Such was the case when our reciprocal tariff arrangement with Cuba resulted in closing the sugar mills of Jamaica In recent years the keenest kind of rivalry has existed between cane and beet sugar At first the latter had great difficulty in forcing a place for itself in the world's markets But with government subsidies, improvement in cultivation and economies in manufacture it gradually became an irresistible competitor. During the past 15 years it has come to the front with great strides and now it divides the world's consumption about equally with the cane product.

It is strange how long an opportunity in the field of agricultural development may be latent Beet sugar cultivation is now recognized as one of the most profitable forms of farming and its manufacture as one of the most paying enterprises The industry opens up for the United States the greatest economic possibilities It raises a reasonable hope that this country will ultimately produce all the sugar that it consumes.

Although the manufacture of sugar from beets has assumed considerable proportions only in late years, as early as 1747 a German chemist made the discovery that sugar could be extracted from the common beet Another German began a few years later the systematic cultivation of the beet with a view to increasing its sugar content. Before the opening of the eighteenth century the sugar beet had been introduced into Holland, France and England, and as early as [illegible] it was brought to the United States. And yet it was not until 50 years [illegible] that a successful beginning was made in the cultivation of the sugar beet in America by the establishment at [illegible] of a plant. Meanwhile European countries, and especially Germany, had made greater progress in the cultivation of the beet and the manufacture of sugar from it. Their governments recognized the importance of the industry and by subsidies and other assistance fostered it.

While the handling of sugar beets is a highly profitable enterprise for manufacturers and farmers, it is so only under proper conditions. The latter have not a general and unrestricted market for their product as they have for corn or wheat. There must be a factory close at hand to take the output. On the other hand, it would be extremely hazardous to invest $500,000 or $1,000,000 in a factory unless a sufficient supply of the raw material to keep it running could be depended upon. Before erection of a beet sugar mill the promoters of the enterprise generally contract with a certain number of the farmers adjacent to the site for crops of beet during a period of five years, and rely on the satisfactory experience of the growers for renewal of the contracts In some instances companies secure tracts of suitable land, erect a factory and sell or lease farms on the express conditions that they shall be devoted mainly to the production of sugar beets This is the more speculative method, but, when it is successful, the more profitable.

These arrangements are usually only perfected after lengthy negotiations and the application of much diplomatic argument The American farmer is conservative and slow to embark in experimental ventures The proposed field of operation is usually one in which the beet has not before been grown. The farmers of the district must be convinced that it will be to their advantage to undertake the cultivation of it. The wise promoter makes up a party of them and takes them to a section where the industry is successfully carried on The object lesson will almost invariably decide the question.

The relations of the factory and the farmer extend far beyond the agreement of one to produce beets and the other to buy them. In order to do a paying business the factory must receive beets of a good grade and the contract provides that the grower shall adopt certain methods under the direction of the representative of the factory. This involves a feature of the industry which is exerting a wide and beneficial influence on farming in general.

There are upwards of 70 beet sugar factories in the United States Each of them has an official who is known as an agriculturist and who has several skilled assistants. This corps of experts study the problems presented by the soil, climate and other conditions of the locality They are in constant communication with the farmers under contract with the factory advising and directing them, not only with regard to beet cultivation, but also in respect to almost all problems that have to do with the farm Thus the factory carries on a highly valuable educational work as indicated by the constant rise in the scale of proficiency which is invariably exhibited by a beet growing community.

It is a fortunate feature of the industry that the interests of the manufacturer should prompt this educational service, for we are far behind Germany and France in efficiency. With land less rich than ours and twice as costly, those countries are, by better methods, producing beet sugar more cheaply than we can In 20 years Germany has increased the average yield per acre from 7 7 tons to 12 73 tons, a pretty good refutation of the oft-repeated statement that beets exhaust the soil. In the same period the German factories have increased the proportion of sugar extracted from 5 55 to 15 60 per cent We are far behind this achievement, but the condition of the industry with us is fast improving The sugar beet is becoming one of the leading agricultural products of our semi-arid states, where it is grown under irrigation. Ten years ago the value of the output in Colorado was $100,000. Last year it was approximately $18,000,000, a sum much in excess of the silver production of the state The growth that has taken place in Colorado is being rapidly duplicated in Idaho and Montana, and in Wyoming a commencement has been made.

The chief drawback to the industry is the shortness of the "campaign," as the season during which the factory can be kept running is called. This is limited to a few months, the entire capacity of the mill being dormant during the greater part of the year This unfortunate condition is due to the fact that each season's supply of raw material must be disposed of before it can be touched by frost, which would destroy it Realizing the great benefits that would accrue to factory and farmer from an extension of the "campaign," experts have been working on the problem for years, and its solution appears to be in sight

The high rate of labor in this country is the only serious and permanent handicap affecting our sugar beet industry, but to offset it we have several peculiar advantages. In Europe the land on which beets are raised is valued from $1,000 to $4,000 per acre and requires more fertilizing than that in America. Our competitors are exporters and the United States are their chief market. We have a demand right at hand for all the sugar we may be able to produce for many years to come Our laboring classes are characterized by a higher degree of intelligence and industry than are those of Cuba and other tropical countries that produce cane sugar and the European countries that produce sugar from beets.

We are bending our energies to the development of the industry by the production of a larger tonnage to the acre, by the production of beets of a higher quality and purity, by the commercial consumption of all by-products of the factory, by the invention and use of improved implements and by the employment of the most economical processes and the best machinery in factories.

The industry is in its initial stage with us, but the progress already made justifies the greatest hopes for the future and confidence that we shall in time overcome the lower wage scale and cheaper production of competing countries.

# RECORD IS BACK IN WRIGHT CAMP

## Johnstone Makes One Day Hero of Drexel

## DE LESSEPS GETS LOST IN THE AIR

## French Aviator Unable To Find the Park

**Hoxsey the Berry Wall Flyer Has the Time of His Life Dodging Rainstorms in Effort To Keep His Clothes Dry—He Reaches a Height of 5790 Feet When Rain Compels Him To Come Down**

New York Oct 26 At the international aviation meet at Belmont park Ralph Johnstone climbed until a snow storm at an altitude of 7 0[illegible] feet was compelled to coast back to earth but his climb was entirely satisfactory to young Mr Johnstone in that it [illegible] held a new American altitude record On the previous day [illegible] Drexel had taken the American altitude record of [illegible] way from the Wright machines [illegible]

If it hadn't been for a rainstorm on high Arch Hoxsey might have remained in the sky longer than he did and [illegible] even [illegible] flown higher than [illegible] 6 feet he reached but when the rainstorm came along the Berry Wall of aviation took a running jump above the rainstorm as he had just had his clothes pressed And above this rainstorm was still another and so while he was loafing in circles up around a mile or more without an umbrella in sight one stormy day after another came along In the middle of it all the altitude hour came to an end The engines still were working but the aviators muscles were approaching the quitting hour If the muscles give out the aeroplane falls and it is no help to fall in a snowbank if the snowbank is in the neighborhood of a mile and a half in the air

### Blotted From View

As he started finally toward the earth he slid into weather that blotted him entirely from view Soon [illegible] he swam vaguely into view [illegible] the time in our lower sky of the northeast At a height of [illegible] 00 feet and to the east of the aviation field Hoxsey dove out of [illegible] with his engine throttled down and he finished his flight with a long volplane dive to a spot [illegible] from his starting point

That a man can get lost in the air and remain lost for more than an hour was the amazing assertion of Count Jacques de Lesseps In proof he cited his own experience when in his Bleriot monoplane he wandered over a considerable portion of Long Island at an altitude of about 450 feet [illegible] for the aviation field so that he [illegible] When he finally did reach the ground he was benumbed with the cold and a trifle [illegible] from his experience He said

[illegible] When I got up into the air my motor was moving so well that I lost my sense of direction [illegible] and discovered I could not find the park I kept going [illegible] Finally I saw the [illegible] and started to come down

When I got close I saw I was not Belmont and I went up again When I tried again I found [illegible] track It also was not Belmont and I put on more power [illegible] I was about to give up and look for a good [illegible] in which to land I picked up the track here I can tell you I am very glad to get back to earth

## BUREAU GIVES OUT COTTON GIN REPORT

**Shows 7,110,960 Bales Ginned from 1910 Growth**

Washington Oct [illegible]—A cotton gin report issued by the bureau of census [illegible] bales counting round bales as half bales ginned [illegible] growth of 1910 to October 18 [illegible] compared with [illegible] 106 [illegible]

Round bales included [illegible] compared with 88 71[illegible] 1908

Sea island bales [illegible] 1910 is compared with [illegible] 1909 and [illegible] for 1908

## ONE OF OLDEST VOTERS IN STATE

**Columbus Man Is Over 100 Years Old and Unmarried**

Columbus O Oct [illegible] Columbus lays claim to having [illegible] the oldest [illegible] He is William [illegible] who is more than 100 years old

[illegible] Ohio [illegible] Franklin county [illegible] registered Saturday and was entered unmarried

## WALDO HAPPENINGS OF PAST FEW DAYS

**People Visiting the Village and in Vicinity**

[illegible] ball [illegible] band hall [illegible]

Mr [illegible] Knight and children [illegible] were guests [illegible] friends Thursday

D [illegible] and C [illegible] Morris [illegible] Wednesday

[illegible] Hollsworth visited [illegible] Thurs[illegible]

M[illegible] Monday [illegible] she will remain [illegible] with friends

[illegible] and Mrs H [illegible] Marion [illegible] guests of Mr and Mrs William Co[illegible] Saturday

Mr and Mrs J [illegible] Fueller of Marion visited Waldo friends Sunday

J[illegible] Flint spent Saturday and Sunday at Shepherd with Mrs Flint who is very much improved in health

Mrs R O Morris was a Marion visitor Friday

Mr and Mrs D W Benedict and Miss Dessa Mart Benedict visited Sunday with Delaware friends

Mrs [illegible] Cook was a [illegible] visitor Wednesday

Frank Groll William Groll and [illegible] are spending a few weeks hunting in Michigan

Charles M Kinse[illegible] and William [illegible] attended the shoot at Galion Tuesday

Miss Hazel Graham visited in Columbus over Sunday

Mrs Rose Waddel and Miss Daisy Waddell of Marion were guests of John Strine Sunday

William Fuell[illegible] of Marion was a Waldo visitor Sunday

Miss Dorothy Oborn of Marion visited with Mr and Mrs Jacob Aken Saturday and Sunday

Mrs William Michel and Mrs [illegible] Anthony and children returned Sunday from a two weeks visit with friends at Sidney

Mr and Mrs H C Higgins of Marion were guests Saturday and Sunday of Mr and Mrs W C M[illegible]

Misses Ellen [illegible] Mezger and Alice Copeland and Messrs Melvin and Willard Baldwin of Marion were guests of Lucile Benedict Sunday

Mr and Mrs Ralph Wilson of near Delaware were guests of Waldo friends Sunday

Mr M [illegible] McCausland and Miss B[illegible] McCausland of Prospect were guests of Mr and Mrs William C[illegible] Sunday

M B Atwater was a Columbus visitor Saturday

Rev Demarest of Marion visited with D [illegible] home Sunday

W C Michels and William Oborn were Columbus visitors Saturday

Mr and Mrs Charles Taylor were Marion visitors Monday

Mr and Mrs Ambrose Bufford of Marion were guests of Mrs Bufford's parents Mr and Mrs John C Augustin Sunday

Irvin Baker visited at the home of his parents near Columbus the latter part of the week

John Smith was a Columbus visitor Wednesday

Mrs [illegible] Knickel is very much improved

## BLOOD TRANSFUSION TO CURE PELLAGRA

**Experiments Prove Successful in Illinois Infirmary**

Chicago Oct [illegible] That blood transfusion is the [illegible] for the mysterious disease known as pellagra is asserted today as the result of experiments conducted at the Cook county infirmary at Dunning Illinois where Dr C O Wilhite asserts this method of treatment has won in the thirty [illegible] treated to date

Pellagra [illegible] declared Dr Wilhite and so far as I know the transfusion of blood is the only reliable treatment The best blood for inoculation comes from persons who have been cured of the disease and only one transfusion is necessary [illegible] the skin of the patient clears up [illegible] and mind I have no doubt the transfusion method will prove [illegible] if not in all cases

## FORMER GOVERNOR OF GEORGIA IS DEAD

**Allen D Candler Passes Away at Age of Seventy Four**

Atlanta Ga Oct [illegible] Former Governor Allen D Candler died here today at the age of seventy four

Candler was one of the wealthiest men in the South He served in congress from 1882 to 18[illegible] was secretary of state [illegible] to 1[illegible] and governor from 18[illegible] to 190[illegible] The highest skyscraper in the South was erected by him in this city

Candler made millions out of the manufacture of a much advertised soft drink

### Light Portable Balloon

A French aeronaut has patented a balloon which when deflated can be packed in its basket and the entire equipment carried on a man's back

# THE DEATH LIST CLIMBS HIGHER

## The Island of Ischia Is Scene of Suffering

## KING EMMANUEL AIDS RELIEF WORK

## Women and Children Engulfed in Flowing Mud

**Mud in Valleys Is Very Deep and It Is Feared Many Bodies Will Be Found When Rescuers Reach Them—Minister of Marine Is Directing Relief Work—Coast Is Strewn with Much Wreckage**

Naples Oct 26—The death list as the result of Sunday night's combined cloudburst torrential [illegible] minor eruption of Mount Vesuvius and tidal wave in the Mediterranean [illegible] as the reports of the rescuers come in

Many of the injured suffered for hours in the open under the [illegible] rainfall all night under the debris of their wrecked homes It was not until the warships reached the island of Ischia and landed sailors that the work of rescue there was systematized Doctors were sent from Naples in both cruisers and the entire work of relief is now under the supervision of the minister of marine

Besides the damage done on the island nearly every town in the provinces of Naples and Salerno was more or less seriously damaged [illegible] the coast of Salerno is covered with wreckage consisting of ruined houses broken furniture timbers [illegible] and the carcasses of animals

### Relief Work

Men women and children trying to escape from the slopes of Mount Vesuvius were overtaken and engulfed by the torrents of flowing mud and ashes The mud in the valley is more than twenty feet deep and it is feared there are many bodies buried in it

King Victor Emmanuel arrived here today and left immediately aboard a torpedo boat for Ischia [illegible] will assist the minister of marine in the work of relief

The king will make a personal inspection of the devastated area at once P[illegible] has directed the [illegible] to work with the government officials in aiding the sufferers [illegible] sent money to buy food and medical supplies The government fund [illegible] for relief amounts to $100,000

### Search Continues

When the king arrived here he was accompanied by General Brusati Admiral Carelli and Count Mattiolo [illegible] A big crowd saw him off from the pier and in response to their cheers the king said that his heart had been [illegible] touched by the stories of the disaster that he had decided to personally visit the stricken region and aid wherever possible

Bodies of victims have been recovered [illegible] to today's reports as follows

At C[illegible] Mont [illegible] Del Greco one Minori [illegible] nineteen Amalfi ten Resina seven [illegible] thirty[illegible] twenty [illegible] twelve The search [illegible] continues

## NO CHANGE IN DIVIDEND RATE

**Directors of United States Steel Corporation Meet**

New York Oct [illegible]—There was no change in the dividend rate at the regular quarterly meeting of the directors of the United States Steel corporation yesterday The regular [illegible] declared [illegible]

[illegible] quarter ended [illegible] earnings $10,7[illegible] [illegible] quarter [illegible] the March quarter and [illegible] the quarter ended [illegible] surplus on D[illegible] [illegible] $[illegible] for the [illegible] quarter

[illegible] September 30 [illegible]

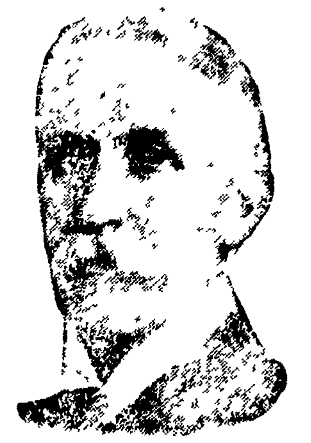
[illegible] come too [illegible] shells [illegible] parts of milk [illegible] them in [illegible] will be fresh and [illegible]

[illegible] beaten in [illegible] sweetened [illegible] for hoarseness [illegible] mixture should be slowly dissolved in the mouth [illegible] swallowing

[illegible] will [illegible] quickly and will [illegible] water [illegible]

## SECRETARY MAC VEAGH

Coming to Ohio to Speak for Harding



# AVIATOR MEETS SUDDEN DEATH

## Monoplane Turns Turtle Near Issy, France

## FERNAND BLANCHARD TERRIBLY CRUSHED

## When He Attempts To Alight After Flight

**Death of Blanchard Follows Most Successful Meeting of Aviators at Bourges—Sharp Rivalry Among Contestants Results in Flight to Issy Which Later Results in Frenchman Losing His Life**

Paris Oct 26—While attempting to alight at Issy after a flight from Bourges Fernand Blanchard was killed when his aeroplane fell [illegible]

Blanchard was flying [illegible] when [illegible] his machine turned over and crashed down upon him He was terribly crushed

Shortly after Blanchard was killed word was received of a serious accident [illegible] Fletch Mulay at Blois [illegible] was giving an exhibition [illegible] when something went wrong with his machine and he fell [illegible] under the wreckage [illegible] aeroplane and badly hurt

The death of Fernand Blanchard follows a successful meeting at Bourges [illegible] had been sharp rivalry among a number of the contestants at the meeting which ended yesterday and it was agreed that they would fly together from Bourges to [illegible] by way of Issy [illegible] accompanied by Aviators [illegible] When on the outskirts [illegible] Blanchard attempted to alight [illegible] the ground and took [illegible] of the machine He [illegible] his companions [illegible]

## LIVE STOCK AND GRAIN

CHICAGO [illegible] $[illegible] 0 07 85 [illegible] $4 00@ [illegible] and feeders $4 0 [illegible] heifers [illegible] 60 [illegible] Sheep and Lambs— [illegible] 10 [illegible] @ 10 [illegible] lambs $4 [illegible] 10 mixed [illegible] rough $ [illegible] Wheat—No [illegible] No [illegible] Oats No [illegible]

EAST BUFFALO Cattle Export cattle [illegible] steers $[illegible] [illegible] heifers [illegible] bulls [illegible] $ [illegible]

CLEVELAND [illegible] Choice [illegible] 00@[illegible] 00 fat [illegible] milkers [illegible] Calves [illegible] $3 00@3 50 [illegible] mediums [illegible] pigs $ [illegible] stags $ 00@ [illegible]

PITTSBURG Cattle Choice [illegible] tidy butchers [illegible] $ 00@5 [illegible] cows [illegible] 00@5 00 fresh cows $[illegible]—Veal $ 00@10 [illegible] prime wethers [illegible] $4 00@4 [illegible] heavy hogs [illegible] pigs $ [illegible]

CINCINNATI [illegible] No [illegible] mixed [illegible] Bulk [illegible] $12 [illegible] cattle [illegible] 6 25 [illegible] 4 00 Lambs—$ [illegible] 6 65 [illegible] $ 50

TOLEDO [illegible] Cash corn 51[illegible] oats [illegible] cloverseed $5 85

### CHICAGO DAIRY

Chickens [illegible] Butter—Extras [illegible]

# FORAKER GETS OFF THE STUMP

## He Cancels Engagement at Sandusky

## AND REFUSES TO EXPLAIN ACTION

## Refers Interviewers to Laylin at Columbus

**Foraker Says He Has Nothing To Say Except That All Questions Should Be Put to the State Committee Former Senator's Attack on Roosevelt Causes Storm of Protest Laylin Issues Statement.**

Columbus O Oct [illegible]—Chairman Charles Craig of the Erie County Republican committee in a telephone message from Sandusky said he had received a telegram from former Senator Joseph P Foraker at Cincinnati saying he had cancelled all his campaign speaking engagements in Ohio Chairman Craig said that subsequently he had telephoned Foraker and asked him to keep [illegible] engagement to speak in Sandusky tonight but the [illegible] refused

When Foraker [illegible] former senator was asked if he intended going to Sandusky but he replied that you will have to ask the state committee about that I have nothing to say

Chairman Laylin of the state executive committee in discussing persistent reports that Foraker had been called off the stump said the committee had cancelled none of Foraker's dates The state chairman could not be located later for a statement after communications had been received from Sandusky and Cincinnati

It was learned however that the state committee had been deluged with protests from Republicans against Foraker's further participation in the campaign as a result of his speech at Marysville Saturday in which he attacked Colonel Roosevelt In his speech at Ravenna Monday night James R Garfield declared that the former senator should not be permitted to speak again during the campaign

Three other engagements were made for Foraker in addition to the Marysville and Sandusky addresses They were at Athens Lebanon and Dayton

A delicate sandwich filling is made from one part chopped almonds and two parts of shredded or grated celery with a dash of salt Moisten the mixture with mayonnaise

The bureau drawer can be made to open easily and noiselessly by rubbing it with common soap and the same device can be used upon doors that stick

## NEW YORK A BAD PLACE FOR CROOKS NOW

WM. J. FLYNN
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New York Oct 2[illegible]—New York City promises to be a very uncomfortable place for the professional crook If William J Flynn lives up to his reputation as a secret service operative he will soon clean New York City of its floating population of thugs pickpockets and strong arm men Flynn who has assumed the duties of chief of the detective force has been in the employ of the United States government for many years He was chief of the secret force in New York and it was under his directions that many of the custom frauds were unearthed He has captured more counterfeiters [illegible] than any one in the employ of the government The government did not want to let Flynn leave the service but New York needed him to clean up the crook ridden city

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### REAL ESTATE

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John H Bain and others to I C Lawrence lot in Marion $800

Joseph Boggs and others to Charles M Huber part of lot in LaRue $900

John H Bain and others to A J Ducatt lot in Marion $4 0

Caddie Belle Br[illegible]an to Sarah J Van Nest part of two lots in Marion $1 67

Eliza Paldinger to William F Smith lot in Marion $2 690

John Bosh to James B Jeffries part of two lots in Marion $1 200

Francis Baldwin to Joseph Price lot in Marion $1 400

The Standard Real Estate company to Amanda E Dix lot in Marion $1 000

French Crow to Ethel Marie Welch part of lot in Marion $1 400

C B Christian and others to George Hagerman two lots in Marion one dollar

John W Clark to Sarah A Swanton lot in Marion $100

Anthony J Ducatt to John H Bain lot in Marion $1 20[illegible]

William Deney to Rufus L Deney three fourths of an acre in Pleasant township $1 000

A C Edmondson to Earl Harriman two lots in Marion $900

Henry Fetter to Jacob F Fetter undivided one half interest in three lots in Claridon one dollar

Curtis B Fox to Emma Milhkin part of lot in Marion $1 00

William Gross to Minnie Spidel lot in Marion $1 [illegible]00

Annetta C Gorton to Dora L Cramer part of lot in Marion $1 000

Emma Herr to Edward S Moon four lots in Centerville $800

Emma Herr to Edward S Moon part of lot in Marion $900

Earl Harriman to Laurel Harriman lot in Marion one dollar

Charles Hofstetter to Charles Hoyles undivided one half interest in lot in Marion $3 000

Charles Hoyles and others to Jefferson L Hiser lot in Marion $700

W T Jones to Fred H Morrison lot in Marion $3 000

Alfred W Jones to Samuel O Bell undivided one half interest in thirty acres in Bowling Green township one dollar

Eunice A Love to Lewis Murphy part of lot in Marion five dollars

Philip Little to Louisa Mustain, lot in Marion one dollar

Mary M Lucas to J W Jacoby and others lot in Marion $3 00

Lewis J Murphy to Arthur P Wilson part of two lots in Marion $1 000

A D Mitchell to Everett N Uncapher four and three fourths acres in Marion $3 600

Alpha P Mason to Edward A Solomon about seventy five acres in Grand Prairie township, $9 300

Alpha P Mason to French Crow and others three lots in Marion $600

John McWilliams to Jacob D Dietsch forty one and one half acres in Marion township $6 500

Sarah E McWilliams to Jacob D Dietsch 41½ acres in Marion township one dollar

Stephen F Nowak to R F Chase and others part of lot in Marion $2 000

W C Phillips to W T Jones part of lot in Marion $1 1 0

Fred W Peters to Peter Helwig lot in Marion $120

Fred W Peters to Mary Ham lot in Marion $180

Charles M Sharp to Fred O Sharp lot in Marion $400

C Frank Swaney to Clara E Swaney undivided one third interest in 112 acres in Prospect township $2 0

Charles D Schafine to Colonel Stull lot in Marion one dollar

George M White to Morgan E Funke lot in Marion $3 00

Lawrence Wood to Pearl Wood 1¼ acres in Big Island township $ 2

Elizabeth Young by administrator to Mary M Lucas lot in Marion $

## REFUSES TO PAY THE DUTY ON A CRUCIFIX

**Miss Morgan Says Customs Officers Can Keep It**

New York Oct 26—I won't pay any duty on it and if you decide that I have to you can keep the crucifix

This was the answer Miss Anne Morgan daughter of J P Morgan made to customs inspectors today when they seized a crucifix made in the time of Louis XV and therefore not subject to duty according to Miss Morgan The inspectors told the financier's daughter that they had no record of the crucifix being as old as she claimed and decided she would have to pay duty on it The daughter of the Wall street magnate refused and delivered her ultimatum

With Miss Morgan was Miss Belle Green one of the millionaire's secretaries Besides the crucifix the women brought over several antiques but Uncle Sam's agents refused to allow them to come in duty free and despite all arguments the goods were sent to the appraiser's store for valuation

Miss Morgan characterized as absurd the report that she was engaged to be married to Don Jaime De Bourbon pretender to the Spanish throne

### First Notes of Music.

Music was the first sound heard in the creation when the stars sang together—George P Upton

# POLICE AT SEA IN QUEEN CITY

## Murder Mystery Is Still Very Puzzling.

## COLUMBUS MAN IS HELD BY OFFICIALS

## Kenton Grocer Thwarts Plans of Gypsy.

**Gypsy Grabs Little Girl and Is Making Off with Her When Storekeeper Hears Screams and Rushes to Aid of Child—Eastern Stars Adjourn Session at Columbus—Norwalk Man Faces New Charges**

Cincinnati O Oct 27—The police find that they have absolutely no clue as to who murdered Mrs Mary Hackney a young married woman whose dead body with throat cut and otherwise horribly mutilated was found by her husband Harley Hackney on his return from work The police have heretofore found themselves in just this same state in connection with four other equally fiendish murders of women committed in the same lonely locality within the past three years In each of these murders the victim was mutilated in much the same way as was Mrs Hackney Chief Corbin said that several circumstances and especially the character of the wounds indicated that the murder was committed by the same degenerate who had slain the four other women in the same vicinity

### Charged With Murder.

Columbus O Oct 27—Charged with murder in the first degree James Gilson is held at the city prison for the killing of Thomas J Masters found on the Scioto Valley Electric tracks south of the city Sept 17 and thought at the time to have been killed by a car It has been learned that Masters was struck on the head slain and robbed of his money before his body was placed on the track and mangled by the car The police expect to prove that Gilson is the man who struck Masters on the head When arrested Gilson was suspected only of a theft and not until later did the police have what they considered sufficient evidence to warrant the filing of the murder charge

### Grocer Thwarts Gypsy

Kenton O Oct 27—Little Jessie Felty 4 was playing about in the grocery store of Grant Vanatta The groceryman had gone to the rear of the store when he heard the child scream He rushed out and saw a rough looking gypsy dressed in rags with the child in his arms He was attempting to thrust the little one into a covered wagon Vanatta called to him to drop the child which he did with an oath and sprang into the wagon and lashed the horse into a gallop and escaped The entire West Side was quickly aroused but the gypsy escaped

### Eastern Stars Adjourn

Columbus O Oct 27—The twenty-first annual session of the grand chapter of Ohio Order of Eastern Star closed this afternoon The memorial services and the exemplification of the ritual by the Cleveland chapter 139 were impressive and were witnessed by fully 5000 persons

### After Laning Again

Norwalk O Oct 27—Among indictments just found by the grand jury are some reindictments against Jay F Laning James G Gibbs, D Kies F W Christian and Ed Elnen in connection with bank failures two years ago

### Wife Murderer Bound Over.

Springfield O, Oct 27—Harry Fisher Big Four dispatcher waived examination in police court when arraigned for the murder of his wife He was bound over to the grand jury

### Dayton Man Ends Life

Dayton O Oct 27—Henry Stork for many years a prominent figure in business circles ended his life by a bullet wound in the heart

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### HOUSEHOLD HINTS.

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Green window shades should provide darkness for baby's daytime naps

To clean ivory make a paste of chalk olive oil and ammonia equal parts and rub well Let it remain on until thoroughly dry and then wash off

When eggs are broken and cannot be used at once they will keep better if the shells be removed and a quarter of a teaspoonful of salt beaten in for each egg

To save gas remove the tip and insert a small piece of cotton in the pipe and replace the tip This lessens the pressure and a more even and softer light is obtained

Velvet bags are in demand

# THE ORGANIZATION OF COMPANY AT MARTEL

### The Village Secures a Promising Industry.

### AUTOMOBILE BEDS TO BE MANUFACTURED

**John J. Stump, the Promoter of the Company, Is named as General Manager—J. E. Bending Is President and T. S. Crissinger, Secretary and Treasurer—Martel Notes.**

Martel, Oct. 25.—[Special.]—John J. Stump, of Akron, was here, Saturday, looking up a site for the location and organization of a manufacturing company, in which the manufacture of buggy and automobile beds will be pursued. A company was organized in which Mr. Stump was elected general manager, J. E. Bending, president, and T. S. Crissinger, secretary and treasurer. The building will be constructed in the near future on the Bending property which will be transferred to the company.

Mr. and Mrs. John Burkhardt and daughter, Mae, and Mrs. C. E. Snyder, of Cardington; Mrs E. R. Seif and Mrs. Pangborn and son, Lowell, of Galion, were guests at the Charles Rorick home during the past week.

Miss Austa Peiffer visited relatives at Galion, Friday, until Sunday.

Those from a distance in attendance at the funeral of the Laipply twins were Mr. and Mrs. Alton Shock and Miss Neva Englert, of Bloomville; Mrs. C. J. Heubeiger and two children, of Wharton; Mrs. Della Meyers, of Attica; Mrs. William Kohl and Mrs. Mella Englert, of Lykens and Mrs. John Winch, of Marion.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Rorick and family visited relatives at Galion, Friday and Saturday.

Mrs. O. J. Quaintance and daughters and Mr. and Mrs. Karl Markert and daughters, of Marion, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Crock, Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. John Winch, of Marion, visited friends here from Friday until Sunday.

Karl Gantz, of Lima, was the guest of Miss Mary Maloney several days during the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. James Crissinger and Master Cecil Mason, of Marion, visited Mr. Crissinger's mother, Mrs. Ellen Crissinger, here, Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John D. Harrison and family and Miss Waive Baker, of Caledonia, were guests at the A. Williams home, Sunday.

Miss Lenna Neff visited friends at Bucyrus, Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Roush and children, of Marion, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Trefz here Sunday.

Mrs. Samuel Neff and Mrs. Samuel Beal, of Bucyrus, were guests of Mrs. John Neff, Wednesday.

Miss Hazel Markey, of Marion, visited her mother, Mrs. Catherine Markey, from Friday until Sunday.

Earl, Mack and Elmer Douce were business visitors in Marion Saturday.

Mrs. M. G. Douce visited her mother, Mrs. Slack, at Green Camp, several days last week.

Mrs. Karl Meister is ill of neuralgia.

The social which was held at the home of James Sharrock, west of town, Thursday evening, was well attended. The "Friendship" quilt from which the aid society realized about eighty dollars was awarded Mrs. John Neff. The proceeds from the quilt and the social were used for the installment of the new gasoline light plant in the church.

John Cyller, of Columbus, was a business visitor in this village Monday.

Mrs. Dora Winch is quite seriously ill of a complication of diseases.

George Weidemaier, of Marion, visited relatives here Monday and Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Rutherford entertained, Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Long and children, of Cardington, and Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Morton, of Climax.

Mrs. Lenora Douce was a business visitor in Galion Tuesday.

Mrs. T. S. Crissinger and daughter, Elizabeth, arrived home Friday, after a pleasant visit with relatives at Berg Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Auld entertained at a six-o'clock dinner Saturday, Mr. and Mrs. John Jones, Mr. and Mrs. John Neff and daughter, Laura, and Miss Luella Finney, of Mansfield.

Mrs. A. E. Benfield and granddaughter, Miss Nellie Benfield, arrived home last week, after having spent the past two months with relatives and friends in Pennsylvania.

Mrs. Charles Foulst and son, of Galion, are the guests of Mrs. Catherine Lantz, west of town, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. McClung and family visited relatives at McConnelsville, Morgan county, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Kinnamon arrived home, Saturday, after a pleasant visit with relatives and friends in Cleveland, Ann Arbor and Trumbull county.

The Ladies' Aid society of the Canaan M. E. church will give a Halloween supper at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel McKibben, Monday evening, October 30.

Mrs. E. J. Douce and son, Allan Dale, arrived home, Saturday, after a week's visit with relatives at Richwood.

## TWO MARION BOYS CAPTURE BURGLAR

**Recent Experience in Hotel at San Francisco.**

In a letter received October 24, by Mrs. H. F. Good, of No. 711 west Columbia street, from her son, Roy Good, who with Guy Draper, another Marion boy, is stopping at the Regal hotel in San Francisco. Mr. Good gives a graphic description of their encounter with a burglar recently.

The letter is dated October 19, and in it Mr. Good says: "I was wide awake when the robber came in, and heard him going through my trousers, and when I made a noise in getting up he crawled under the bed. I got up and secured a light and awakened Guy. Then I told the fellow under the bed to come out and when he did I hit him in the mouth and knocked him down. We both tried to down him and he put up a fight, but we were too much for him. We notified the police, who took the man in charge. He weighed about 180 pounds. He got all the money I had but he gave it back."

## ARE MARRIED AT THE HOME OF THE BRIDE

**Mrs. Matilda J. Clark and Mr. O. O. Cranmer.**

Mrs. Matilda J. Clark and Mr. Osaph O. Cranmer, residing near Big Island, were united in marriage, Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock, at the home of the bride. The ceremony was performed by Rev. C. W. Needles in the presence of about twenty-five of the children and grandchildren and close relatives and neighbors of the contracting parties. The groom is approaching his eightieth year, while the bride is past sixty-three. They have been neighbors for a lengthy period and have known each other for over forty years. They left Tuesday night for a wedding trip to Indiana and on their return will reside on the farm of the bride.

## YOUNG PEOPLE ARE JOINED IN MARRIAGE

**Miss Iva May Epley and Mr. Howard C. Smith.**

At the parsonage of the Free Baptist church on south Main street Wednesday evening at 6 o'clock, Miss Iva May Epley, of near Claridon, and Mr. Howard C. Smith, of near Caledonia, were quietly united in marriage by Rev. George E. Barnard. They were accompanied by Miss Lois Kennedy and Mr. Calvin Baldinger.

Following the ceremony, the newly married couple left on a wedding journey to Niagara Falls and other points of interest. Mr. Smith is a son of Frank Smith, of near Caledonia, and both he and his bride, a daughter of Frank M. Epley, of near Claridon, are admirable young people. They will reside east of this city on a farm.

## WON'T DRY-CLEAN THE WOMAN'S CAT

**Cleaning Concern Will Not Touch Live Furs.**

Columbus, O, Oct. 25.—Mrs. J. W. Hanning, of Columbus, visiting in Kansas City, thinks that they are very unobliging there. She tried to get the dry cleaning establishments to dry-clean her aristocratic Angora cat so that it would retain its aristocracy, but the unfeeling dry cleaners would not do so.

Mr. Hanning reminded them that they cleaned furs, and that she could not see why they did not dry-clean the cat.

**Thomas Kelly Hurt.**

Thomas Kelly, an employe of the Marion Steam Shovel company, had the middle finger of his right hand crushed in an accident while at work at 11 o'clock Wednesday. He was removed to the office of Drs. A and H. S. Rhu where he was given the necessary attention.

## BIG RECEPTION FOR AERONAUTS

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ing their balloon, America II, fifty miles north of Chicoutimi, Quebec, relieves ten days of suspense among St. Louis aeronauts and turns their attention to the remarkable results of the fifth international aerostat race for the Gordon Bennett trophy. That three balloons would exceed the world's distance record, held at 1,183 miles for ten years, was not expected by the Aero club officials.

By their flight of 1,355 miles from St. Louis, the America's pilots assure the next annual balloon race for this country. Owing to the wide range of territory accessible from St. Louis, the sixth Bennett cup contest doubtless will be started there.

The world's distance record was also broken by Perkins and Gericke, in the Dusseldorf, which landed at Lake Kiskising, Quebec, 1,230 miles from St. Louis, and Von Abercron and Blanckertz, in the Germania, at Coocoocache, Quebec, 1,190 miles

In cash prizes the America II, Dusseldorf and Germania will receive $1,000 each; Helvetia $500 and Harburg II, $250.

# HUNTINGTON WILSON IS DUE TO PRAY, SALAAM AND STILL BEST MOHAMMED V. IN ANY COMING DIPLOMATIC CONFERENCE

Constantinople, Oct. 26.—Huntington Wilson is somewhat of a diplomat, as his friends acknowledge, but his powers will be tested November 1, when he meets Mohammed V., sultan of Turkey. Mr. Wilson, who is assistant secretary of state, wants to talk railroads with the sultan of Turkey. There's a question of some 1,200 miles of new roads to be built by American capital, and before the Americans get their money tied up they want a few pointers and promises from the wily Turk. It's up to Wilson to get the promises. Before he gets them it is promised that he will visit various churches, follow certain forms. All these forms are something new for the sultan, but he wants to throw as much ceremony and mystery around the conference as possible in hopes that he may confuse the young American. At least this is the way English diplomats view the ceremony. Some of the foreign diplomats are inclined to smile at the treat in store for Mr. Wilson. They have declared they felt sorry for the money invested in the railroads by American bankers. But the friends of Mr Wilson promise he will meet the sultan on common ground and that he will have more than promises when the conference is concluded The building of the railroads is of vast importance to the Turks It means the opening of country that has lain dormant for years

# AMOS LAPHAM DIES AT HOME IN FLORIDA

### The Passing of a Former Marion Resident.

### IS WIDELY KNOWN IN CITY AND COUNTY

**Mr. Lapham Leaves Marion About Twenty-Seven Years Ago and Makes His Home in Florida. Death Comes at a Ripe Old Age. Funeral Services Held Tuesday.**

Orson Lapham, who is making his home with his sister, Mrs. Cynthia Brewer, has received a message announcing the death of his brother, Amos F. Lapham at Cocoa, in the Indian river district of Florida

Mr. Lapham died after an illness incident to the infirmities of extreme old age, the evening of October 21 and the funeral services were held at his late home at 4 o'clock Tuesday afternoon. He was nearly eighty-four years of age. Two sons and two daughters are living. They are M. J. Lapham, Arthur Lapham, Mrs. Inez Wooden and Mrs. Ollie Holmes, all residing in the vicinity of Cocoa

Mr. Lapham will be remembered by all of the older residents of the city and county He left Marion about twenty-seven years ago, and has since made his home in Florida. With the exception of a couple of years spent in California during the gold mining excitement, he was a resident of this city prior to his going to Florida.

Aside from his brother and sister living here, Mr. Lapham leaves a brother, Valentine Lapham, a former resident of Marion, but now living in Chicago.

# PUTS QUESTION UP TO HARMON

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because I like war, not that I am seeking more territory for the United States, and not because we were striking down oppression, but because we veterans and sons of veterans enlisted in a common cause The South joined the North in bringing new credit and glory to this nation. But there are dangers of peace as well as of war, and on the foundation which you laid, I want to see the greater structure of peace

"We've sent the flag around the world. Let's do more than that Let's make it the flag of an awakened, conscientious people."

In his speech to the veterans Mr. Harding mentioned Colonel Roosevelt and President Taft and that was received with handclapping and cheers.

**Needle Is Removed.**

Mrs S. A. Morris, of Scranton avenue, while washing lace curtains, last Friday, accidentally forced a needle into her left hand. Tuesday afternoon, she was taken to the Central Emergency hospital where the needle was removed.

## BRAGA IS NOT POPULAR WITH MAJORITY.

This is the latest and best picture of Theophile Braga, the new president of Portugal. This picture was taken in Lisbon during the reign of terror that resulted in King Manuel's fleeing. Cable reports state that the new president is failing to please the new republic, and he may be forced to step aside almost any day.

Buttermilk is the best possible thing to clean linoleum and oilcloth.

# THE CONFIRMATION OF A VERY LARGE CLASS

### Archbishop Henry Moeller Conducts the Services.

### LARGEST CLASS IN HISTORY OF CHURCH

**he Church Is Packed to the Doors by Those Wishing To Witness the Rites of Confirmation—Beautiful Service and Special Music—Several Visiting Priests in Attendance.**

Beautiful St. Mary's Catholic church, with its decorations of palms and crysanthemums, was the scene of a most impressive confirmation service Wednesday evening, the church being filled to standing room only at the outer doors, while many late arrivals left as a result of being unable to get within the doors of the church. A class of 114 was confirmed, the largest class ever confirmed in the local church Ninety-two of this number were children, the remainder being adult converts.

The services were conducted by Most Reverend Henry Moeller, D. D., archbishop of Cincinnati, who was assisted by Rev Father Francis Keyes, of Galion, deacon; Rev. Father Clement Beckmeyer, of Kenton, sub-deacon; Rev Father John T Gallagher, secretary to the archbishop, master of ceremonies, Rev Father Joseph Denning, of the local church, master of ceremonies; Rev. Father James Ryan, of LaRue, assistant The male choir sang during the services, the music being of a special character

At 7 30 o'clock, those who conducted the services led the long procession of confirmants up the center aisle of the church, the children being seated in the front seats where their sponsors were in waiting The girls were beautifully gowned in white, wearing white veils, while the boys were dressed in black suits. The administering of the sacrament of the confirmation was followed by the papal blessing and the solemn benediction of the blessed sacrament.

Archbishop Moeller delivered an address on the "Holy Ghost or the Blessedness of Confirmation." In part he spoke as follows

Likening the church to the body, the church is merely a member and Christ is the body, represented by all of the members The church is Christ's physical body quickened by the Holy Spirit and the Holy Spirit is never separated from the churches. The church inhabited by the Holy Spirit is indefectible. We often wonder why the church is so hated by some people, but this is as Christ predicted. He was persecuted and so was the church after Him.

"The church is infallible as well as indestructable because the Holy Ghost dwells within. The Holy Spirit is the spirit of truth and the church is, also, because it is fulfilling the mission of the Holy Spirit. The church has been infallible in the giving of Christianity and the churches are bound together by the Holy Spirit Many of the old forms of worship have fallen, but the church of Jesus Christ continues to stand and will stand against any fight against it because it is backed by Christ and is carrying out the commands of the Holy Spirit.

"It is unjust to blame the church for the conduct or waywardness of some who have fallen. The church is doing all it can for the uplifting of the soul and would no sooner see one fall into sin than would the parents of the fallen. In the way of a charge to the confirmants the archbishop stated that they came with all sanctity and are expected to show it by their attention to their prayers, their attendance at the services, their presence at communions and living a straight-forward life according to the commands of Christ.

"You may make your mark of being indestructable and it will strengthen you It is easy to do well for a while, but hard to persevere. Many have gone in the right path for several years and then have become negligent of their church duties and to the Savior's commands. Even though you have lived good lives and have not persevered, you have not come up to the commands of Christ."

During the address of the archbishop, he quoted a number of the scripture verses from St. Paul. The administering of the sacrament, the papal blessing and the solemn benediction of the blessed sacrament closed the services

The following is the class announced for confirmation: Misses Esther Helene Snyder, Elizabeth Barbara Dee, Mary Helen Ireton, Elsie Orians, Mary Elizabeth Mulrow, Margaret Mary Minshall, Margaret Morris O'Donnell, Ellen Marie Mahaffey, Mary Ellen Lundergan, Mary Josephine Geraldine Norris, Mary Elizabeth Lundergan, Regina Frances Rafferty, Clara Josephine Amberg, Helen Marie Teresa Maloney, Mary Florence Cecelia Burke, Isabella Cecelia Pruzzo, Alice Marie Veronica Woodcock, Evaline Elizabeth Maloney, Regina Ruth Curran, Cecelia Margaret Murphy, Edna Marie Teresa Metzger, Mary Josephine O'Donnell, Elizabeth Ellen Darmody, Mary Hilda Dolores Schroeter, Mary Elizabeth Catherine Hanbert, Mary Louise Roller, Clara Catherine Voll, Margaret Ellen Plunket, Gertrude Helen Lucas, Mary Elizabeth Irene Dwyer, Margaret Josephine Healey, Martha Josephine Hoctor, Lucille Ellen Elizabeth Conarty, Margaret Veronica Anna Stark, Marie Elizabeth Navin, Sabina Josephine Breen, Gladys Catherine Baer and Messrs. Thomas Andrew Breen, John Martin McDonald, Hermann Lawrence Roller, James Edward DuRoss, Clarence Patrick Ryan, Emmett Ambrose McGrath, Dennis Joseph Molloy, Francis Robert Murphy, Milton Nalor, Vincent Cornelius Molloy, George Arthur William Norris, John Joseph Abe, Edward Joseph Schuler, Francis William Joseph O'Brien, Henry William Fye, Lawrence Edward Warren, Francis William Joseph Minshall, John Henry Joseph Dwyer, George Joseph Von Kaenel, Francis Joseph McAndrew, Edward Tracy Amberg, Robert Orians, Joseph Otto Miller, James Joseph Lawlor, Lewis Leo Martin, Joseph Delmer Cramer, Homer James Francis Lawrence, Clarence Francis Alters, Daniel Anthony Lawrence, John Albert Aloysius Hanbert, Francis Robert Rafferty, Earl Joseph Tobin, Joseph Dean McFarland, Bernard Edmund Healy, Carl William Zink, Edward Joseph Kelly, Robert Francis Schroeter, Esmonde Joseph Ryan, Leo Francis Artz, Marcellus Joseph Dwyer, James Francis Lawlor, Thomas Roscoe McDonald, Francis Leo Joseph Miller, Charles Francis O'Donnell, Stephen Edward Joseph Murphy, George William Dunn, Paul Joseph Moran and Delmer Joseph Edmondson.

**Harmon-Hearst Company.**

Stirred by the alleged alliance between Governor Judson Harmon and William Randolph Hearst, Bryan Democrats of Ohio are on the verge of a revolt which threatens the elimination of both Harmon and Hearst from state and national politics.

This became known when it developed that a movement is already well afoot among loyal Bryan men, the avowed purpose of which is the defeat of Harmon for reelection.

The followers of the "Peerless Leader" in this state bitterly resent the motive behind the Hearst-Harmon combination, declaring the real and ultimate purpose is the permanent shelving of Bryan. They say they will openly rebuke the ambition of the governor by voting against him at the polls.—Cincinnati Commercial Tribune.

Nothing is more helpful in dusting polished floors than the absorbent broom bag, which can be purchased for a few cents or may be made at home of a piece of cotton flannel.

# REBEKAHS ARRANGE FOR COMING SOCIAL

### Some Business Is Given Attention at Meeting.

### FIRST OF SERIES OF ELK DANCES GIVEN

**A Large Company Is Entertained at the Tally Wag Hall—The Red Men Meet in Regular Session. Degree Is Confered on One Candidate—Local Secret Societies.**

Sosnowski Rebekah Lodge, No. 161, I. O. O. F., held a well-attended meeting, Tuesday evening, and aside from transacting the routine business arrangements were made for a Halloween social to be held Friday night in the lodge hall. An invitation has been extended to the Rebekahs and their friends and the Odd Fellows and their families.

The next meeting will be held the second Tuesday in November.

The first of a series of dances arranged by the social committee, of the Elks' lodge, was held in the Tally Wag hall, Tuesday evening. Over fifty couples were in attendance and a pleasing program of twenty-four dance numbers was enjoyed, the music being furnished by Wright's trio, of Springfield. A luncheon was served during the evening. The committee in charge was composed of Messrs. Frank Knapp, Charles Mason and Morgan Burke.

A well attended meeting of Lime City Council, No. 206, Jr. O. U. A. M., was held Tuesday evening. Aside from considerable routine business, the first degree was conferred on one candidate and three applications for membership were received.

The next meeting will be held in two weeks.

A regular meeting was held by the Red Men, Tuesday evening, and considerable business was transacted. The adoption degree was conferred on one candidate and one application was received. There was a good attendance. The next meeting will be held in one week.

A Halloween social was held by the members of Ithamar Court, No. 8, Tribe of Ben Hur, Wednesday evening. There was a large attendance and the affair was thoroughly enjoyable. The hall was prettily decorated for the occasion and the evening was given over to games and diversions incident to the Halloween season. An old-fashioned spelling match was enjoyed in which all were spelled down. George McKinley and Christopher Lippincott were in charge.

A short business session was held and regular business was given attention.

A regular meeting of Buckeye Lodge, No. 2854, Modern Brotherhood of America, was held, Wednesday evening. Five candidates were initiated and seven applications were balloted upon. Arrangements were made for a social session next Wednesday evening. There was a large attendance.

The meeting of the Past Chiefs' association, of the Pythian Sisters, which was to be held Wednesday afternoon, was postponed on account of the sickness of some of the members. The next meeting will be held the third Wednesday in November.

## MARRIAGE CELEBRATED AT HOME OF BRIDE

**Mrs. Sarah M. Johnston and Mr. J. H. Hartley United.**

At the bride's home in West Marion, Wednesday evening at 6 o'clock, Mr. John Henry Hartley and Mrs. Sarah M. Johnston were united in marriage by Justice C. E. Conley. The ceremony was performed in the presence of the immediate relatives and friends of the contracting parties. The groom is an employe of the Marion Steam Shovel company and both he and his bride are well known in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Hartley will make their home in West Marion.

**Answer Filed.**

In the divorce proceeding of Emma Harper against Clayton Harper, the defendant has filed an answer in which he denies the allegations that he was guilty of violations of the marital contract, and asks that if the plaintiff is granted a divorce a contract as to the disposal of the property of the parties to the suit be upheld and the plaintiff deprived of all rights in the property of the defendant.

PERCHERON MARES—Have just received direct from France 25 black and iron grey, 2 and 3 year old, guaranteed pure stock Percheon mares. They are all bred and represent choicest stock. See them at the barns of Watkins & Co., 445 south Main street.
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LEGAL NOTICE.

James Burris, whose place of residence is unknown will take notice that on September 11th, 1910, Bessie Burris filed in the Court of Common Pleas of Marion County, Ohio, her certain petition in case number 12816 on the execution docket of said court, praying for a divorce from the said James Burris on the ground of wilful absence for three years, and failure to provide for three years. That said cause will be for hearing on or after November 1st 1910, and that said James Burris is required to answer said petition by November 1st, 1910.

BESSIE BURRIS,
By H. E. Hill, Her Attorney.